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OF THE

MARRIAGES, BIRTHS, AND DEATHS

REGISTERED IN

SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN

DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1932.

BY PROVINCES, COUNTIES, AND SUPERINTENDENT REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS,

WITH

*Certain Detailed information relative to the Deaths in Superintendent Registrars' Districts
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NOTE.—The figures relating to vital statistics, as given in this Report, must be regarded as provisional, the revised figures appearing in the Detailed Annual Report. They may, however, be accepted as substantially correct.

In the Quarterly Reports, commencing with that for the first quarter of 1927, the Deaths registered in any part of the country have been referred, as far as practicable, to the normal area of residence of deceased.

The Births registered in each urban area, according to numerical returns furnished by the Registrars, have been partially corrected by the exclusion of those occurring in institutions of infants whose mothers were admitted from other localities. No correction is made in these reports for births in individual rural areas. In Table IV, as a consequence, there is liability to slight understatement in the births for individual urban districts, and a corresponding overstatement in those given for the aggregate of rural districts.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

The **Marriage Rate** (4·3 per 1,000 of the estimated population) for the first quarter of 1932, based on 3,183 marriages registered during the quarter, is 1·0 below the average for the corresponding quarter of the ten years, 1922–31. The marriage rate among Catholics for the first quarter of 1932 was 4·4, and among all other denominations, 2·4.

In Northern Ireland the marriage rate for the fourth quarter of 1931 was 6·1 per 1,000; in England and Wales, 8·0, and in Scotland 6·6, as compared with 4·0 for Saorstat Eireann.

The **Birth Rate** for the first quarter of 1932, viz., 18·3 per 1,000, represented by 13,596 births registered in Saorstat Eireann, is 1·7 below the average (20·0) for the first quarters of the ten years, 1922–31. For Dublin City the birth rate was 24·2; for Dun Laoghaire 16·5, for Cork 21·3; for Limerick, 24·2; and for Waterford, 27·3.

The corresponding birth rate for Northern Ireland during this quarter was 20·6; for England and Wales, 15·3; and for Scotland, 19·0. The birth rate for Belfast was 22·6; for Londonderry, 27·3; for London, 14·3; for Glasgow, 21·5; and for Edinburgh, 15·6.

The rate in respect of **Deaths** registered in Saorstat Eireann (numbering 13,189) was 17·7 per 1,000 for this quarter, being 0·1 above the average (17·6) for the first quarters of the preceding ten years.

For Dublin City the death rate was 19·6; for Dun Laoghaire, 14·8; for Cork, 20·2; for Limerick, 21·8; and for Waterford, 27·3.

In Northern Ireland the death rate for the quarter under review was 17·1 per 1,000; in England and Wales, 15·4; and in Scotland, 16·2. In Belfast, the rate was 17·8; in Londonderry, 17·0; in London, 16·0; in Glasgow, 17·2; and in Edinburgh, 16·8.

Deaths in Saorstat Eireann from the **Principal Epidemic Diseases** (comprising enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery and diarrhoeal diseases) afforded an annual rate of 0·6 per 1,000, which is equal to the average for the first quarters of the five years, 1927–31.

The mortality from **Influenza** was equivalent to a rate of 1·1 per 1,000, the average for the corresponding quarters of the preceding five years being 0·9 per 1,000.

The rate for deaths from all forms of **Tuberculous Disease** was 1·4 per 1,000, which is 0·1 below the average rate for the first quarters of the five years preceding.

Deaths from **Puerperal Conditions** represent a rate of 4·8 per 1,000 births registered, comprising 1·5 for puerperal sepsis and 3·3 for other puerperal conditions, as compared with 0·9 and 3·2 for the first quarter of 1931.

The **Infant Mortality** rate (deaths of infants under one year of age per 1,000 births registered) was 79, in comparison with an average of 83 for the first quarters of the ten years, 1922–31.

The **Population** estimated to the middle of 1932 is 2,973,000 (males, 1,514,000, and females, 1,459,000) showing an increase of 16,000 on the estimate for the middle of 1931, which increase is derived from the natural increase, or excess of births over deaths, and the balance between inward and outward migrants.

The **Natural Increase** during the first quarter of 1932 was 407, as compared with an average of 1,768 for the first quarters of the ten years, 1922–31.

During the first quarter of 1932, the number of **Emigrants** to places out of Europe and not within the Mediterranean Sea was 148, and the number of **Immigrants** from these places 675.

MARRIAGES.

The marriages registered during the quarter ended 31st March, 1932, numbered 3,183, equivalent to an annual rate of 4·3 per 1,000 of the estimated population, this rate being 0·4 below that for the corresponding quarter of 1930, and 1·0 below the average for the first quarter of the ten years, 1922-31 (See Table I). Of the total Marriages 3,051 (or 4·4 per 1,000 of the estimated number of Catholics in the population) were those of Catholics, and 132 related to all other denominations, equivalent to 2·4 per 1,000 of the population other than Catholic. The marriage rate among Catholics is 1·1 below and that among other denominations 1·2 below, the respective averages, for the first quarter of the preceding ten years.

BIRTHS.

During the quarter ended 31st March last, there were registered in the 640 Registrars' Districts into which Saorstat Eireann is divided for registration purposes, 13,596 births, of which 6,907 were those of males and 6,689 of females, or 1,032 of the former to 1,000 of the latter.

The Birth rate was 18·3 per 1,000 of the estimated population, being 1·7 below the average (20·0) for the first quarter of the ten years, 1922-31 (See Table I).

The birth rate ascribed to **Urban Districts**, including the cities or boroughs in the aggregate was 22·1 per 1,000 of the population, and to **Rural Districts**, 16·7 per 1,000, as compared with 23·2 and 17·7 respectively, in the first quarter of 1931 (See Table IV).

For the **Twelve Principal Towns**, the birth rate was 23·1 per 1,000, as against 23·8 per 1,000 in the corresponding quarter of last year.

Amongst these towns, the birth rate varied from 27·3 for Waterford, 24·2 for Dublin and Limerick, and 23·2 for Wexford to 16·5 for Dun Laoghaire, 17·1 for Dundalk, 19·2 for Sligo and 19·1 for Kilkenny.

DEATHS.

The number of deaths registered during the quarter was 13,189, and of these 6,510 were deaths of males and 6,679 of females. For all persons the equivalent annual rate was 17·7 per 1,000 of the estimated population, being 0·1 above the average for the first quarter of the preceding decennium, but 0·8 below the rate for the first quarter of the year 1931 (See Table I).

For the **Urban Districts** in the aggregate, the death rate during the quarter was 19·1 per 1,000 as compared with 21·0 for the first quarter of 1931, and for **Rural Districts**, 17·1 per 1,000 in comparison with 17·5 for the corresponding period of the preceding year.

The annual rate represented by deaths from all causes for the **Twelve Principal Towns** was 19·7 per 1,000, as compared with 21·4 per 1,000 in the first quarter of 1931.

In the quarter under review, the rates for these towns are hereunder given, ranging in order from the district with the lowest rate to that with the highest:—Tralee, 13·7; Dun Laoghaire, 14·8; Dundalk, 15·7; Sligo, 17·5; Wexford, 18·9; Dublin, 19·6; Cork, 20·2; Kilkenny, 20·7; Galway, 20·8; Limerick, 21·8; Drogheda, 23·3; and Waterford, 27·3.

Causes of Death.

In Table II, the mortality from some of the principal causes is given for the first quarter of 1932 and for each quarter of the preceding five years, as well as the averages for each quarter of these years.

Principal Epidemic Diseases.—From this Table it will be seen that the number of deaths (419) from this group of causes is 69 below that for the first quarter of 1931, viz., 488, and 46 fewer than the average for the first quarter of the five years, 1927-31. Enteric fever, whooping-cough and diarrhoeal diseases, show decreases in comparison with the average for the previous five years. The greatest proportional decreases are found in enteric fever and whooping-cough, both causing 46 per cent. less than the average.

On the other hand, there are increases in measles, scarlet fever, and diphtheria, the latter disease causing 35 per cent. more deaths than in 1927-31.

Of 100 deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 64 (or 13·0 per 1,000 births) were recorded for urban areas, as against 36 (or 4·1 per 1,000 births) for rural areas. For urban areas of 10,000 population and upwards ("Twelve Principal Towns"), the mortality was 12·9 per 1,000 births, as compared with 13·4 per 1,000 for urban districts with less than 10,000 inhabitants.

Table III. shows that the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases in the Counties and Cities varied from 5·7 per 1,000 for Waterford County Borough, to 0·0 for Cavan, and 0·1 for Leitrim.

The death rate from these diseases in relation to the twelve principal towns in the aggregate, was 1·1 per 1,000, and the rates fluctuated between 0·0 per 1,000 for Drogheda and Wexford and 5·7 (as above) for Waterford; the 182 deaths from all causes for the latter city including 25 from measles, 4 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 7 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years (Table IV).

Influenza.—Deaths from influenza amounted to 831, affording an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000, which is 0·3 above the average for the first quarter of the preceding five years, 1927-31. Of the 831 deaths, 200 appertained to urban areas, representing 0·9 per 1,000 of the population, and 631 to rural districts, or 1·2 per 1,000; the corresponding rates for the first quarter of 1931 were 1·1 and 1·0.

Tuberculosis.—The number of deaths from all forms of this disease during the quarter was 1,062, equivalent to an annual rate of 1·4 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with an average of 1,099, and a rate of 1·5 per 1,000 for the first quarter of the five years, 1927-31. As may be seen from Table III, the rates varied from 2·3 for Carlow, 2·2 for Cork County Borough, 2·0 for Wexford and 1·9 for Dublin City to 0·8 for Waterford County, 0·9 for Limerick County Borough and Leitrim, and 1·0 for Kilkenny, Longford and Roscommon. The rate for the aggregate city or borough areas and urban districts was 1·7 per 1,000 of the population of these areas, as compared with 1·3 for rural areas. For the twelve principal town areas the rate was 1·7 per 1,000, and for urban districts under 10,000 population it was also 1·7.

Puerperal Conditions.—The number of deaths ascribed to accidents and diseases of pregnancy and childbirth, as recorded during the quarter, was 65, being equal to 4·8 per 1,000 births registered. Of the 65 deaths, 20 were due to puerperal sepsis, or 1·5 per 1,000 births, and 45, or 3·3 per 1,000 births, to other puerperal conditions. The corresponding rates for the first quarter of 1931 were 0·9 and 3·2 respectively.

Ages at Death.

Of 13,189 deaths at all ages registered during the quarter, 1,078 or 8·2 per cent. were those of infants under one year of age, and 6,400 or 48·5 per cent. were those of persons 65 years and upwards.

Infant Mortality.—The infant mortality was 79 per 1,000 births registered, as compared with 68, 49 and 66 respectively, for the three preceding quarters, and an average of 83 for the first quarter of the ten years preceding (Table I).

For County Boroughs and Urban Districts in the aggregate, the rate was 109, and for all Rural Districts 63 per 1,000 (Table III).

Deaths in Public Institutions.

Deaths in Institutions numbered 3,597, or 27·3 per cent. of all deaths registered.

Inquests.

There were 265 inquests or deaths registered on Coroners' Certificates during the quarter, this number being 2·0 per cent. of the total deaths registered.

Uncertified Deaths.

The number of deaths in cases where there was no medical attendant during the last illness, (not including deaths registered on Coroners' Certificates) was 2,851, or 21·6 per cent. of the total deaths.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Notified.

Table VI gives the number of such cases notified during the quarter in urban and rural districts. The total number amounted to 2,020.

Vaccination.

As returned by the Registrars, the number of successful *primary* vaccinations during the quarter ended 31st March last was 4,881, or 35·9 to every 100 births registered during the quarter, the corresponding ratio for the first quarter of the five years 1927-31 being 50·6.

CITY OF DUBLIN.

BIRTHS.

Exclusive of 288 births in institutions relating to residents of other localities, the number of births recorded for the city of Dublin during the quarter under review was 2,518. The annual rate represented thereby was 24·2 per 1,000 of the estimated population, as compared with a rate of 25·2 for the corresponding quarter of 1931. The total births registered (2,806) comprise 1,403 boys and 1,403 girls.

DEATHS.

Omitting 228 deaths registered in the city relating to other localities, but including those of city residents registered elsewhere in Saorstát Éireann, the deaths ascribed to the city of Dublin for the quarter numbered 2,036, equivalent to an annual rate of 19·6 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with 22·2 per 1,000 for the first quarter of 1931. The total number of deaths registered in the city numbered 2,231—1,048 males and 1,183 females.

For the portion of the city north of the Liffey, the death-rate from all causes was 19·4 per 1,000, as compared with 20·7 in the first quarter of 1931, the corresponding rates for the south side being 19·4 and 22·1 respectively. *The mortality for these portions of the city is derived from figures partially corrected for deaths in institutions, as given in Table V, which shows the mortality for each Registrar's district, by ages and by some of the principal causes, relating to the quarter (thirteen weeks) ended 2nd, April, 1932.*

Causes of Death.

Principal Epidemic Diseases.—The deaths from this group of causes relating to the city during the quarter numbered 88, affording an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000, as compared with 2·3 per 1,000, for the first quarter of the preceding year.

The following statement shows for the city of Dublin the number of deaths from some of the principal causes for the first quarter of 1932, as compared with 1931:

CAUSE OF DEATH	First Quarter,	First Quarter,
	1932	1931
Principal Epidemic Diseases	Enteric fever	.
	Typhus "	.
	Small-pox	.
	Measles...	5
	Scarlet fever	8
	Whooping-cough	28
	Diphtheria	18
	Diarrhoea and enteritis (children under 2 years)	28
Influenza	91	80
Pulmonary tuberculosis	157	185
Other forms	40	62

With the exception of scarlet fever, whooping-cough and influenza, decreases as compared with the first quarter of last year are shown in every case.

The decrease is most marked in measles (which is accounted for by a severe epidemic in the early part of last year).

The greatest proportional increase is shown in deaths from whooping-cough, which have risen to 28, as compared with 10 in the corresponding quarter of 1931. The rate of the north side in 1932 is 37 per 100,000, and for the south 19.

Influenza.—The number of deaths attributed to influenza was 91, the equivalent annual rate being 0·88 per 1,000, as compared with 0·78 per 1,000 in the first quarter of 1931.

Tuberculosis.—The deaths from all forms of tuberculous disease recorded for the city numbered 197, representing an annual rate of 1·89 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with 2·40 for the first quarter of the preceding year.

The mortality from tuberculosis in the north side of the city was 1·79 per 1,000, and in the south, 2·01, the respective rates for the first quarter of 1931 being 2·39 and 2·35.

Of the 197 deaths, 157 were ascribed to pulmonary and 40 to other forms of the disease the former representing a rate of 1·51 per 1,000 and the latter 0·38 per 1,000.

Ages at Death.

Of the 2,036 deaths relating to the city of Dublin, as registered during the quarter, 407 (or 20·0 per cent.) were those of children under five years of age, and 690 (or 33·9 per cent.) were of persons 65 years of age or upwards, the corresponding percentages in respect of the first quarter of 1931 being 30·6 and 29·6.

The **Infant Mortality**, based on 267 deaths of infants under one year of age was 106 per 1,000 births, as compared with 134 for the first quarter of 1931.

Deaths in Public Institutions.

The deaths of Dublin residents occurring in public institutions, as registered during the quarter, numbered 887, or 43·6 per cent. of total deaths.

Cases of Infectious Disease.

The number of cases of infectious disease notified during the quarter as shown in Table VI was 557. Table VII gives the number of cases under treatment in Dublin hospitals during the quarter.

METEOROLOGY.

The mean temperature for the twelve weeks ended 26th March, 1932, deduced from the mean weekly temperature as returned from the Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park, Dublin, was $41\cdot4^{\circ}$, and at Cork (Roche's Point) it was $44\cdot6^{\circ}$; for the thirteen weeks ended 2nd April at Peamount Sanatorium it was $41\cdot5^{\circ}$; at Greenwich, $41\cdot0$; at Glasgow, $41\cdot7$; and at Edinburgh, $41\cdot5^{\circ}$.

The mean daily number of hours of bright sunshine recorded at Dublin was $2\cdot3$; at Peamount Sanatorium, $2\cdot8$; at Cork (Ballinacurra), $2\cdot5$; at Greenwich, $2\cdot2$; at Glasgow, $1\cdot8$; and at Edinburgh, $2\cdot8$.

The rainfall during the same periods measured at Dublin $3\cdot86$ inches; at Peamount Sanatorium, $4\cdot89$ inches; at Cork (Roche's Point), $10\cdot55$ inches; at Greenwich, $3\cdot41$ inches; at Glasgow, $5\cdot85$ inches; and at Edinburgh, $5\cdot87$ inches.

The following information has been kindly furnished by the Director of the Meteorological Office, London :—

JANUARY.

Persistent south-westerly to westerly winds maintained dull, wet and very mild weather during the greater part of the month. During the last six days conditions were anticyclonic and the weather dry but cloudy. Temperature reached the exceptionally high level, for January, of 62° F. at Killarney on the 3rd and at Newcastle (Wicklow) on the 8th. The warmth of some of the nights was equally remarkable, and at Cahirciveen (Kerry) the minimum of 54° F. on the night of the 2nd to 3rd was a record for that district. During a period of wet weather from the 13th to 16th some heavy rain was recorded, amongst the largest daily measurements being 37 mm. at Cahirciveen on the 12th and 42 mm. at Blacksod Point on the 14th. In the east, including Dublin, the month's rainfall was below the average, but elsewhere there was an excess, which was most pronounced in the west and south. Sunshine aggregates were generally deficient, especially in the south.

FEBRUARY.

February was remarkable for its dryness associated with persistent anticyclonic conditions and north-easterly to easterly winds. In most places rainfall totals did not exceed one-tenth of the average. In several places all previous records for dryness were eclipsed, and at Cahirciveen the month was the driest February for at least 60 years. Mallarany had only one rain-day and Newtownforbes and Killarney, two. In the extreme north-west mild conditions predominated, but over by far the greater part of the country the month was rather cold. The highest temperatures were recorded generally during the first few days and on or about the 23rd, and nowhere exceeded 52° F., being below those recorded in the previous month. There were frequent ground frosts. In the west and north-west sunshine aggregates slightly exceeded the normal; elsewhere, there was a considerable deficiency.

MARCH.

Rain on the 4th or 5th marked the end of the drought which was such a prominent feature of the previous month. The unsettled weather was, however, of short duration, and on the 9th there was a return to dry anticyclonic conditions which lasted until the 19th. During this dry period temperature was mostly moderate, while good sunshine records were obtained on several days up to the 17th. After the 19th, unsettled wet conditions became established and continued until the end of the month, with heavy rain on the 25th and 29th. In most districts monthly mean temperatures were within 1° F. of the average. There was a deficiency of rainfall in all districts, although very much less pronounced than in February. In the east and south-east sunshine aggregates were below the average, but elsewhere an excess was recorded.

Meteorological Observations.

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TABLE A.—Showing the Mean Weekly Values and the Differences from their Normal Values of the Meteorological Elements at Phoenix Park, Dublin, for the Twelve Weeks ended March 26th, 1932.

WEEK ENDED	AIR PRESSURE		TEMPERATURE		HYGROMETER		BRIGHT SUNSHINE		RAINFALL		WIND				
	Value reduced to Mean Sea Level	Deviation from Normal	Maximum A.	Minimum B.	Mean of A. & B.	Deviation from Normal	Mean of Dry Bulb	Mean of Wet Bulb	Mean Daily Amount	Deviation from Normal	Total Amount	Percentage of Possible	Number of Days	Mean Force Scale 0—12)	
Jan. 9th, 1932	mb	999.8	51.0	38.4	44.7	+4.8	°F. 57	°F. 44.3	hrs. 90	% 43.1	hrs. 2.0	% 26	mm +15	4 6.9	
" 16th	mb	996.7	50.3	36.0	43.1	+3.7	55	42.7	83	3.0	+1.3	38	+15	5 5.9	
" 23rd	mb	1025.7	+11.7	53.3	43.0	+7.6	56	47.1	89	1.3	-0.5	16	3	-9 1 4.3	
" 30th	mb	1040.1	+26.5	47.4	33.6	+0.1	52	27	39.6	38.3	-0.1	23	2	-10 2 1.3	
Feb. 6th	mb	1036.6	+23.5	47.4	37.6	+2.0	51	31	41.5	40.7	93	0.1	-2.0	1 1 0.5	
" 13th	mb	1030.8	+18.2	42.9	32.4	-2.8	46	28	38.1	35.7	77	0.9	-1.4	9 6 -6 3 2.4	
" 20th	mb	1040.7	+28.1	46.3	28.3	-3.1	49	24	33.7	32.8	91	4.1	+1.4	42 0 -11 0 1.1	
" 27th	mb	1033.0	+20.4	47.0	37.0	+1.4	49	28	42.0	39.7	80	1.5	-1.6	15 0 -11 0 2.0	
Mar. 5th	mb	1019.1	+6.5	45.4	33.6	-1.6	51	24	38.2	35.1	71	3.8	+0.8	35 1 -11 1 3.2	
" 12th	mb	1016.1	+3.6	46.7	28.0	-3.3	52	22	36.0	35.3	93	4.3	+0.5	38 15 +3 4 2.4	
" 19th	mb	1024.0	+11.5	47.3	26.7	-37.0	49	50	39.3	37.2	81	2.9	-0.6	25 0 -10 0 1.4	
" 26th	mb	1014.7	+2.0	53.6	41.3	+5.7	58	36	46.5	44.3	83	1.5	-1.8	12 13 +2 4 2.9	
MEAN	mb	1023.1	+10.2	48.2	34.7	+1.4	+0.8	58	20	40.7	39.1	85	2.3	-0.3	23 98* -43 25 2.9

* Total for 12 weeks

Meteorological Observations.

TABLE B.—Showing the Mean Weekly Values and the differences from their Normal Values of the METEOROLOGICAL ELEMENTS at Roche's Point,
Co. Cork, for the Twelve Weeks ended March 26th, 1932.

WEEK ENDED	AIR PRESSURE		TEMPERATURE				HYGROMETER		BRIGHT SUNSHINE*		RAINFALL		WIND			
	Value reduced to Mean Sea Level	Deviation from Normal	Minimun A.	Mean of A. & B.	Maximun B.	Deviation from Normal	Mean of Dry Bulb	Mean of Wet Bulb	Mean Humidity	Mean Daily Amount	Deviation from Normal	Percentage of Possible	Total Amount	Number of Days	Mean Force Scale 0—12)	
Jan. 9th 1932	1022.4	...	mb.	°F	°F	°F	°F	°F	%	hrs.	mm	mm +24	5	4.2		
16th	998.8	—	50.4	45.3	47.9	+4.3	54	48.4	47.3	1.1	52	52	5	4.3		
" 23rd	1025.8	—	51.7	47.4	49.5	+5.6	53	47.6	45.6	1.4	—0.2	18	80	+56		
" 30th	1030.3	—	49.4	42.6	46.0	+2.3	51	36	46.5	44.0	0.9	—0.9	10	36	+14	
Feb. 6th	1036.2	—	49.4	42.9	46.1	+2.5	52	40	46.3	44.4	81	0.9	1.1	6	—16	
" 13th	1028.4	—	43.4	37.7	40.5	+3.0	49	33	40.1	37.4	76	1.1	1.1	14	—8	
" 20th	1036.4	—	47.4	35.6	41.5	+1.8	49	32	42.5	39.2	72	4.3	+1.4	44	0	
" 27th	1032.7	—	47.9	39.0	43.5	+0.1	50	35	44.7	41.5	75	0.7	—2.6	7	0	
Mar. 5th	1017.6	—	45.1	35.0	40.1	+3.8	50	32	40.8	37.3	69	3.5	+0.2	33	4	
" 12th	1014.7	—	48.3	36.7	42.5	+0.8	53	32	43.0	39.7	72	5.6	+1.3	50	10	
" 19th	1021.9	—	48.9	37.1	43.0	+1.5	52	31	44.4	41.3	75	6.2	+2.8	53	0	
" 26th	1014.9	—	52.3	43.7	48.0	+3.7	55	39	48.0	46.8	87	2.3	—2.5	19	55	
MEAN	1022.4	—	—	48.7	40.5	44.6	+0.9	55	31	45.2	42.8	80	2.5	—0.3	24	268+
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* The sunshine values are taken from the record maintained at Ballincourt, eight miles N.N.E. of Roche's Point. † Total for twelve weeks.

TABLE I.—Marriages, Births and Deaths registered in Saorstát Éireann, in the years 1922 to 1932, by quarters.

YEAR AND QUARTER	NUMBERS				RATES			
	Marriages	Births	DEATHS		Per 1,000 of Estimated Population		Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births	
			All ages	Under one year	Marriages	Births		
Year	Average 1922-26	14,597	61,437	43,467	4,293	4·9	20·5	14·5
	1927 ...	13,418	60,054	43,677	4,254	4·5	20·3	14·8
	1928 ...	13,716	59,176	41,792	4,016	4·7	20·1	14·2
	1929 ...	13,593	58,280	42,991	4,102	4·6	19·8	14·6
	1930 ...	13,631	58,353	41,702	3,965	4·6	19·8	14·2
	1931 ...	13,236	57,103	42,957	3,884	4·5	19·3	14·5
First Quarter	Average 1922-31	14,058	60,015	43,045	4,168	4·7	20·2	14·5
	Average 1922-26	4,244	15,232	12,919	1,220	5·7	20·3	17·2
	1927 ...	3,813	14,802	13,410	1,328	5·2	20·1	18·1
	1928 ...	3,748	14,593	12,578	1,213	5·1	19·8	17·1
	1929 ...	3,342	14,151	13,960	1,266	4·5	19·2	19·0
	1930 ...	3,964	14,481	12,666	1,165	5·4	19·7	17·2
Second Quarter	1931 ...	3,494	14,301	13,680	1,271	4·7	19·3	18·5
	Average 1922-31	3,958	14,857	13,089	1,234	5·3	20·0	17·6
	Average 1922-26	3,584	16,235	11,990	1,080	4·8	21·7	15·6
	1927 ...	3,075	15,834	11,816	1,083	4·2	21·4	16·0
	1928 ...	3,251	15,840	11,082	985	4·4	21·5	15·0
	1929 ...	3,383	15,345	10,895	1,014	4·6	20·8	14·8
Third Quarter	1930 ...	3,077	15,305	10,751	1,038	4·2	20·8	14·6
	1931 ...	3,214	15,175	11,284	1,031	4·3	20·5	15·3
	Average 1922-31	3,392	15,868	11,426	1,055	4·6	21·3	15·4
	Average 1922-26	3,618	15,601	8,840	980	4·8	20·8	11·8
	1927 ...	3,451	15,302	8,651	866	4·7	20·7	11·7
	1928 ...	3,557	14,868	8,561	844	4·8	20·2	11·6
Fourth Quarter	1929 ...	3,720	14,993	8,524	885	5·1	20·4	11·6
	1930 ...	3,489	14,892	8,435	777	4·7	20·2	11·5
	1931 ...	3,565	14,405	8,373	705	4·8	19·5	11·3
	Average 1922-31	3,587	15,243	8,674	898	4·8	20·5	11·7
	Average 1922-26	3,151	14,369	10,018	1,013	4·2	19·2	13·4
	1927 ...	3,079	14,026	9,800	977	4·2	19·0	13·3
1st Quarter,	1928 ...	3,160	13,875	9,591	974	4·3	18·8	13·0
	1929 ...	3,148	13,791	9,612	937	4·3	18·7	13·1
	1930 ...	3,101	13,705	9,850	985	4·2	18·6	13·4
	1931 ...	2,963	13,222	9,620	877	4·0	17·9	13·0
2nd Quarter,	Average 1922-31	3,121	14,047	9,856	981	4·2	18·9	13·3
	1932 ...	3,183	13,596	13,189	1,078	4·3	18·8	17·7
	"							
	"							
3rd Quarter,	"							
	"							
4th Quarter,	"							
	"							

TABLE II.—Deaths from some of the principal causes registered in Saorstát Éireann during each of the years 1927-32 by quarterly periods, with the rates represented thereby.

YEAR AND QUARTER	DEATHS FROM Principal Epidemic Diseases.												DEATH-RATES											
	Diseases from						Tuberculosis						Per 1,000 Population											
	Entertic Fever			Typhus			Small-pox			Measles			Whooping-cough			Diphtheria			TOTAL					
Year	1927	98	11	175	79	448	218	13	493	1,537	2,099	4,301	3,409	3,113	77	194	0-52	0-71	1-45	1-15	1-05	1-28	3-23	
	1928	94	7	139	62	559	225	8	630	1,630	858	4,047	3,189	3,190	103	159	0-55	0-53	1-37	1-08	1-17	3-19	3-23	
	1929	88	7	158	62	394	362	9	561	1,651	3,875	2,999	3,116	80	159	0-56	0-52	1-32	1-02	1-17	3-37	3-23		
	1930	70	4	138	41	362	386	5	492	1,505	3,825	2,964	3,329	81	197	0-51	0-21	1-30	1-01	1-13	3-39	3-38		
	1931	67	11	376	75	142	309	5	512	1,497	1,430	3,805	3,015	3,146	62	169	0-51	0-48	1-29	1-02	1-06	1-09	2-96	
Average, 1927-31	83	8	-	243	68	322	289	8	525	1,546	1,332	3,970	3,115	3,118	80	181	0-52	0-45	1-35	1-06	1-08	1-37	3-10	
First Quarter	1927	28	1	69	22	212	66	5	108	511	912	1,174	943	826	-	69	1-23	1-59	1-28	1-12	-	-	-	
	1928	33	-	188	25	77	81	7	112	517	883	1,147	921	849	788	-	54	1-25	1-44	1-15	1-07	-	-	-
	1929	25	4	40	15	106	93	7	107	397	921	1,060	921	853	750	-	56	0-56	0-33	1-45	1-11	1-20	1-10	3-80
	1930	14	-	33	14	126	100	1	413	245	1,068	814	887	16	46	1-00	1-42	1-15	1-10	0-91	3-22	-		
	1931	18	-	186	23	47	78	-	488	740	1,048	848	848	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Average, 1st Qtr., 1927-31	24	1	-	103	20	113	84	2	118	465	630	1,099	867	827	-	-	0-63	0-55	1-49	1-18	1-12	-	-	
Second Quarter	1927	30	5	30	19	134	42	4	92	356	831	1,256	998	742	-	-	0-48	1-12	1-70	1-35	1-00	-	-	
	1928	25	3	110	23	55	3	94	403	314	1,134	899	778	-	-	55	0-43	1-54	1-22	1-05	-	-	-	
	1929	27	-	48	21	98	70	2	97	365	495	1,102	853	753	-	-	50	0-67	1-50	1-16	1-05	-	-	-
	1930	12	3	21	10	100	86	-	103	335	202	1,083	862	850	21	47	0-27	1-47	1-16	1-11	1-37	3-07	-	
	1931	15	4	109	16	38	64	-	104	350	483	1,158	901	763	19	40	0-47	0-65	1-57	1-22	1-02	1-25	2-64	
Average, 2nd Qtr., 1927-31	22	3	-	64	18	92	63	2	98	362	465	1,147	901	772	-	-	0-49	0-63	1-56	1-22	1-05	-	-	
Third Quarter	1927	11	3	14	15	50	37	1	148	279	175	1,114	798	763	-	-	38	0-24	1-37	1-08	1-03	-	-	-
	1928	26	-	39	12	60	31	1	186	357	83	912	739	733	-	-	48	0-11	1-24	1-00	1-03	-	-	-
	1929	16	1	20	18	97	58	1	189	399	103	873	711	711	-	-	54	1-43	1-19	0-88	0-97	-	-	-
	1930	22	-	15	7	69	71	1	127	313	71	868	669	813	28	41	0-42	0-10	1-18	0-91	1-10	1-88	2-76	
	1931	16	3	30	17	34	67	4	136	307	81	821	647	726	17	40	0-42	0-11	1-11	0-88	0-98	1-18	2-78	
Average, 3rd Qtr., 1927-31	18	2	-	23	14	62	53	2	157	331	103	1,147	901	772	-	-	0-45	0-40	1-22	0-5	1-02	-	-	
Fourth Quarter	1927	29	2	62	52	73	3	145	391	181	857	670	782	-	-	53	0-24	1-16	0-91	1-06	-	-	-	
	1928	10	1	32	19	58	4	166	355	180	854	668	832	-	-	48	0-18	1-16	0-91	1-13	-	-	-	
	1929	20	-	31	8	92	83	-	166	400	138	840	652	847	-	-	54	0-19	1-14	0-89	1-15	-	-	-
	1930	22	-	89	10	58	129	-	136	444	96	806	629	778	16	54	0-00	1-13	0-90	1-10	1-17	3-94	-	
	1931	18	4	51	19	23	100	1	136	352	126	778	619	851	13	43	0-48	0-17	1-05	0-84	1-15	3-25	3-25	
Average, 4th Qtr., 1927-31	19	2	-	53	16	55	89	2	152	388	134	827	647	824	-	-	53	0-18	1-12	0-88	1-12	-	-	-
1st Quarter, 1932	13	2	-	104	25	61	113	1	100	419	831	1,062	848	847	20	45	0-56	1-12	1-43	1-14	1-47	3-31	-	
2nd Qtr., .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	-
3rd Qtr., .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	-
4th Qtr., .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	-

represented thereby.

MORTALITY BY COUNTIES, &C.

TABLE III.—Showing for Counties, etc., the DEATH RATES from all Causes, and from some of the Principal Causes, per 1,000 of the population, with the mortality per 1,000 births represented by deaths of infants and deaths from puerperal conditions, during the quarter ended 31st March, 1932.

(See Note on Second Page).

Counties and County Boroughs by Provinces with Urban and Rural Groupings	DEATH RATES PER 1,000 POPULATION FROM					Deaths of Infants under one year per 1,000 Births ‡	DEATHS FROM PUERPERAL CONDITIONS				
	All Causes	Principal Epidemic Diseases*	Tuberculosis		Influenza		Total		Puerperal Sepsis		
			All Forms	Pulmonary			Number	Rate per 1,000 Births ‡	Number	Rate per 1,000 Births ‡	
SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN†	17.7	0.8	1.4	1.1	1.1	79	65	4.8	20	1.5	
Carlow County	19.1	0.2	2.3	2.0	1.4	69	1	5.8	1	5.8	
Dublin	16.8	0.3	1.5	1.1	1.1	84	2	4.4	2	4.4	
City of Dublin†	19.6	0.8	1.9	1.5	0.9	106	12	4.8	7	2.8	
Kildare County	16.0	0.3	1.3	1.0	0.7	86	1	4.3	1	4.3	
Kilkenny	19.8	1.1	1.0	0.7	1.4	86	1	3.3	·	·	
Laois	16.6	0.5	1.3	1.1	1.4	74	1	5.3	·	·	
Longford	14.5	0.3	1.0	1.0	2.9	38	4	25.5	2	12.7	
Louth	19.2	0.8	1.3	1.1	0.7	81	2	7.0	·	·	
Meath	18.6	0.3	1.5	1.2	0.9	85	·	·	·	·	
Offaly	16.9	1.1	1.6	0.9	1.1	71	1	4.7	·	·	
Westmeath	17.8	0.7	1.6	1.3	1.1	76	·	·	·	·	
Wexford	20.9	0.3	2.0	1.8	1.0	82	2	5.0	·	·	
Wicklow	20.6	0.3	1.7	1.5	2.1	49	·	·	·	·	
LEINSTER ...	18.9	0.6	1.7	1.3	1.1	87	27	4.7	13	2.3	
Clare County	16.2	0.2	1.1	1.1	0.8	41	3	7.7	·	·	
Cork	16.5	0.2	1.4	1.3	0.8	72	4	3.4	1	0.8	
Cork Co. Borough	20.2	1.1	2.2	1.9	0.4	129	1	2.4	1	2.4	
Kerry County	15.2	0.4	1.3	1.1	1.1	57	4	0.5	1	1.6	
Limerick	16.2	0.5	1.4	1.1	1.1	101	2	4.3	·	·	
Limerick Co. Borough	21.8	1.3	0.9	0.8	1.1	172	1	4.2	·	·	
Tipperary County N.R.	17.6	0.5	1.5	1.2	0.7	75	2	7.2	·	·	
Tipperary County S.R.	17.8	1.0	1.3	0.8	0.4	59	4	10.3	·	·	
Waterford County	16.7	0.4	0.8	0.6	1.2	70	1	4.7	·	·	
Waterford Co. Borough	27.3	5.7	1.5	1.2	2.0	209	·	·	·	·	
MUNSTER ...	17.2	0.6	1.4	1.2	0.9	86	22	5.0	3	0.7	
Galway County	17.5	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.4	78	5	6.3	2	2.5	
Leitrim	17.7	0.1	0.9	0.8	2.1	15	1	5.0	·	·	
Mayo	14.3	0.2	1.1	0.9	1.1	35	1	·	·	·	
Roscommon	16.2	0.4	1.0	0.8	1.9	64	2	6.7	·	·	
Sligo	17.7	0.3	1.3	1.0	1.2	61	·	·	·	·	
CONNAUGHT ...	18.4	0.5	1.1	0.9	1.4	55	9	4.0	2	0.9	
Cavan County	17.7	0.0	1.2	1.2	1.2	73	3	9.6	1	3.2	
Donegal	17.4	0.4	1.3	0.7	1.3	67	1	1.6	1	1.6	
Monaghan	17.6	0.2	1.2	0.7	1.2	41	3	12.4	1	4.1	
ULSTER (part of)	17.5	0.3	1.2	0.8	1.2	64	7	5.9	2	1.7	
Twelve Principal Towns	19.7	1.1	1.7	1.4	0.9	115	17	4.3	8	2.0	
Urban Districts under 10,000 Population ...	17.2	0.8	1.7	1.4	0.8	84	6	6.2	1	1.0	
Aggregate Co. Boroughs and Urban Districts	19.1	1.0	1.7	1.4	0.9	109	23	4.7	9	1.8	
Aggregate Rural Districts ...	17.1	0.4	1.3	1.0	1.2	63	42	4.8	11	1.3	

* Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery and diarrhoeal diseases.

† The rates for Saorstat Eireann and the City of Dublin are calculated on the estimated population in the middle of 1932; those for the other areas on the population according to the Census of 1926.

‡ The rates for the administrative counties of Dublin, Cork, Limerick and Waterford are based on the births registered therein plus a proportion (derived from the record of transfers for 1930) of the births registered in the respective county boroughs relating to other localities.

URBAN DISTRICTS

TABLE IV.—Births and Deaths registered during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1932, relating to Urban Districts (including County Boroughs), and the number of Deaths from some of the principal causes (see Note on second page); also particulars of Births and Deaths (exclusive of those occurring in public institutions belonging to other localities) for BELFAST and LONDONDERRY.

PROVINCES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	CENSUS STATISTICS OF DISTRICTS IN 1926	Per- sons to an Acre	DEATHS	BIRTHS	Annual Rate per 1,000 persons repre- sented by Districts	Total Number of Deaths From all Causes	Principal Principal Diseases	Caused by				In Public Institutions	No. Uncertified
								At 65 years and up	Under 1 year of Age	At 65 years and up	Under 1 year of Age		
BAIRNSHIRE	2,971,992	0.2	18.3	17.7	0.6	13,596	13,189	1,078	6,400	1.3	2	104	25
Total Rural Districts	2,005,315	0.1	16.7	17.1	0.4	8,687	8,939	545	4,876	11	2	50	14
Total Urban Districts	876,677	8.4	22.1	19.1	1.0	4,909	4,250	533	1,524	2	.	54	15
Total 12 Principal Towns	689,656	15.7	23.1	19.7	1.1	3,939	3,358	452	1,160	1	.	41	11
Dublin City*	21,6	19.6	0.8	2.5	1.8	2,036	2,07	690	61	5	8	28	18
Dun Laoghaire Boro.*	16.5	14.8	0.2	1.4	1.7	1,32	1.2	61	41	1	1	1	91
Cork (Co.) Borough	29.2	21.3	1.1	1.1	1.1	396	54	139	215	1	2	9	15
Limerick	16.5	24.2	20.2	1.3	1.3	215	41	65	1	25	2	4	11
Waterford	14.4	27.3	18.5	2.7	2.7	239	182	38	50	1	1	1	1
Galway Urban District	14.227	23.1	20.8	2.8	2.8	182	82	74	9	25	6	1	1
Dundalk	9.8	17.1	15.7	1.4	1.4	55	4	20	55	1	1	1	1
Drogheda	12,716	8.6	21.4	23.3	1.4	68	74	34	7	23	1	1	1
Wexford	11,487	25.2	23.2	18.9	1.7	56	7	23	6	22	1	1	1
Sligo	11,437	19.2	19.2	17.5	1.0	55	50	6	22	1	1	1	1
Tralee	10,533	20.5	13.7	0.4	0.4	36	2	12	19	1	1	1	1
Kilkenny	10,046	10.9	19.1	20.7	2.4	48	52	5	19	1	1	1	1
Total Urban Districts	207,021	3.4	18.7	17.2	0.8	970	892	81	364	1	.	13	4
Under 10,000 Population												11	1
I. LIMERICK												13	4
An Uaimh	3,652	8.3	17.5	20.8	1.1	16	19	4	14	1	.	1	1
Ardlow	4,536	2.8	18.5	15.9	1.6	21	18	2	20	15	2	1	1
Athlone	7,540	6.1	10.6	14.9	1.6	1.2	28	9	13	24	1	1	1
Athy	3,460	3.6	21.1	15.3	2.8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Birr	3,402	2.1	24.5	18.3	1.1	40	53	3	15	33	3	1	1
Bray	8,637	8.2	24.6	18.4	1.1	44	33	3	12	2	2	1	1
Carlow	7,163	12.2	12.8	9.1	0.7	47	55	2	29	11	1	1	1
Ossoryanus Mor	9,196	8.3	20.9	15.9	0.7	29	29	2	11	1	1	1	1
Grange	1,543	22.9	20.9	15.9	0.7	29	29	2	11	1	1	1	1
Hawthorn	1,269	0.6	22.1	15.8	0.7	25	25	2	12	1	1	1	1
Longford	4,029	1.4	27.8	15.8	1.0	28	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Portlaoise	3,685	4.4	19.5	14.1	1.1	27	27	1	1	1	1	1	1
Stradbally	1,121	1.1	27.8	15.8	1.0	28	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

¹The rates for Saorstát Éireann, the City of Dublin and the Borough of Dún Laoghaire are calculated on the estimated populations in the middle of 1932.

The information given for Belfast and Londonderry relates to the thirteen weeks ended 31st March, 1932. The birth and death rates are based on the Census population of 1926.

TABLE V.—Showing for the Quarter (13 weeks) ended 2nd April, 1932, the mortality from All Causes and from some of the Principal Causes of residents of the several Registrars' Districts in the CITIES of DUBLIN AND CORK,* also the Deaths at certain age periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths.

NOTE: Corrections are made for Deaths of DUBLIN and CORK CITY residents occurring in institutions situated within their boundaries, as well as in institutions situated in other towns 10,000 inhabitants or upwards, in the rural portions of the REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS of BLACKROCK NO. 2, BLANCHARDSTOWN and CASTLEKNOCK, COOLKEDDAGH and INACCORDA, FINGLIS and GLASNEVIN, and in the REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS of CORK RURAL NO. 1 and NO. 2. The figures given in this Table being summaries of the Weekly Returns are not therefore comparable with those shown in TABLE IV.—See Note on second page.

DEATHS

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS		AGES AT DEATH		DEATHS FROM													
					Principal Epidemic Diseases					Diseases of Respiratory System								
	ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1932*	FROM PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES	FROM ALL CAUSES	Under 1 year	1 and under 2	2 and under 5	5 and under 15	15 and under 25	25 and under 45	45 and under 65	65 and overwards	Tuberculosis	Pneumonia	Cancer	Vitilence	Other Causes	Inquest Cases +	Inquest Deaths
North City No. 1 East	35,640	19.4	1,732	20.0	10	7	22	41	59	·	·	3	12	5	3	34	3	66
" No. 1 West	43,220	23.6	1,875	22.7	11	6	49	79	·	·	3	10	8	3	35	3	123	
" No. 2	26,800	19.1	1,247	23.7	5	5	21	36	44	·	2	1	12	5	27	2	163	
" No. 3	33,600	16.9	1,374	17	11	8	5	17	·	7	10	3	8	25	18	3	65	
Blanchardstown and Castleknock, part of	1,900	8.4	·	4	1	1	2	5	·	·	·	·	2	3	·	1	1	
Clontarf & Howth, No. 1, part of	9,200	6.5	·	15	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	2	·	1	1	3	
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	20,460	21.0	1,061	11	8	2	4	15	34	30	·	1	1	5	3	·	54	
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	12,160	10.0	655	8	3	7	7	20	26	·	·	1	2	·	7	·	47	
South City No. 1	36,900	18.9	1,040	17.3	28	11	6	3	7	16	52	50	·	1	7	·	13	
" No. 2	14,400	26.1	0.8	21.5	34	11	7	9	15	30	29	·	1	1	6	·	32	
" No. 3	45,700	18.8	17.4	25	5	4	11	24	44	56	13	2	2	2	·	81	2	
" No. 4	33,900	20.5	0.8	29.5	10	11	2	1	2	·	1	1	1	1	3	26	1	
Clondalkin, part of	6,600	13.3	2.0	13.3	2	1	1	1	3	9	18	·	1	1	2	1	84	
Grimm, part of	6,100	26.2	1.3	40.6	5	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	36	
Donnybrook, No. 1 and 2	35,000	16.3	0.3	143	15	3	4	2	4	13	16	25	1	1	1	1	101	
New Kilmimhain,	16,300	17.8	0.9	176	9	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	21	
Rathfarnham, part of	1,900	14.7	0.7	7	7	1	1	1	1	2	3	3	1	1	1	1	7	
Rathmines, Nos. 1 and 2	41,500	19.9	0.5	20.5	18	4	1	13	13	50	102	·	·	1	1	1	8	
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN ...	415,900	19.4	0.9	2016.70	85	59	63	94	265	511	669	1	5	8	19	29	247	
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above).					228	16	1	4	7	15	55	65	·	1	3	18	6	33
CITY OF CORK																	22	
Cork Urban	12,837	20.3	0.8	655	5	1	1	1	9	17	32	·	1	1	2	3	8	
" No. 1	11,208	16.1	1.8	45	8	3	1	1	6	12	13	·	1	1	2	1	19	
" No. 2	10,971	21.1	2.2	58	13	1	6	10	15	·	·	·	1	1	1	1	23	
" No. 3	8,642	20.4	1.4	45	5	3	2	4	2	7	8	14	·	1	1	3	36	
" No. 4	5,613	21.4	1.4	81	6	2	1	1	2	1	2	14	·	1	1	1	17	
" No. 5	12,005	23.3	1.7	74	7	2	1	1	3	23	20	·	1	1	2	1	29	
" No. 6	17,214	17.2	0.7	7	7	2	1	1	2	11	23	27	·	1	1	1	44	
TOTAL CITY OF CORK ...	78,490	19.7	1.2	387.52	12	12	12	52	98.135	10.7	6	7	38	7	27	34	37	298

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

TABLE VI.—Summary of cases of Infectious Disease notified to the Department of Local Government and Public Health in respect of Saorstát Éireann for the Quarter ended 31st March, 1932.

Cities or County Boroughs				Typhus	Enteric	Diphtheria	Scarlatina	Other Diseases
Cork			37	23	Primary Pneumonia 15 Varicella 23 Erysipelas 6 Puerperal Fever 1 Primary and Influenzal Pneumonia 1 Influenzal Pneumonia 4
Dublin		10	167	268	Primary and Influenzal Pneumonia 72 Influenzal Pneumonia 11 Cerebro Spinal Meningitis 4 Erysipelas 22 Puerperal Fever 2 Pyrexia 1
Limerick		1	48	74	Erysipelas 7 Influenzal Pneumonia 4
Waterford			15		

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Enteric	Diphtheria	Scarlatina	Other Diseases
Carlow	Carlow	Carlow			5	2	Puerperal Fever 1
Cavan	Cavan	Carlow			3	2	Lobar Pneumonia 1 Influenza and Pneumonia 5
	Cootehill	Bawnboy			4		Lobar Pneumonia 3
		Cavan			6	2	Lobar Pneumonia 8
Clare		Killadysert					Primary Pneumonia 1
		Limerick No. 2					
		Scarriff			7	3	

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—*contd.*

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—*contd.*

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Enteric	Diphtheria	Scarlatina	Other Diseases
Laoighis ...		Abbeyleix ... Mountmellick ... Silevemargy ... Manorhamilton ... Croom ...		1 2 1	12 2	4 17	
Leitrim ...		Kilmallock ...			4	2	Pneumonia 2 Influenza Pneumonia 3
Limerick ...		Limerick No. 1		2	3	3	Puerperal Sepsis 1 Influenza Pneumonia 1 Encephalitis Lethargica 1 Erysipelas 1 Pneumonia 1 Puerperal Sepsis 1 Influenza Pneumonia 2 Erysipelas 1 Puerperal Septicæmia 1
		Mitchelstown No. 2 ... Newcastle ...			1	9	Influenza Pneumonia 1 Influenza Pneumonia 5 Primary and Influenza Pneumonia 3
		Rathkeale ...		2	12	5	Pneumonia 1 Primary Pneumonia 1
Longford ...		Tipperary No. 2 ... Ballymalon ... Granard No. 1 ... Longford ...		1 2 2 2	1 2 1 1	1 1 1 1	Pneumonia 1 Pneumonia 1 Pneumonia 1
Louth ...	Drogheda ... Dundalk ...	Ardee No. 1 ... Dundalk ...		5 8	13	3 2 5	Puerperal Fever 1 Measles Epidemic Erysipelas 1 Puerperal Sepsis 1 Influenza Pneumonia 2
Mayo ...		Louth ... Ballina ... Ballinrobe ... Claremorris ...		2 6 4			Mild Influenza Epidemic in County Erysipelas 1 Primary Pneumonia 1 Lobar Pneumonia 1 Puerperal Fever 1 Lobar Pneumonia 2 Pneumonia 1 Primary Pneumonia 1 Pneumonia 5
Meath	An Uaimh ...	An Uaimh ... Dunshaughlin ... Oldcastle ... Trim ...		2 1	3 8	5 6 4 2	
Monaghan ...	Clones ... Monaghan ...	Carrickmacross ... Castleblayney ... Clones No. 1 ... Monaghan ...			8 1	14 2 2 1	Mild Influenza in the County Influenza Pneumonia 2 Lobar Pneumonia 1 Puerperal Sepsis 1 Puerperal Sepsis 1 Puerperal Sepsis 1
Offaly	Birr ... Tullamore ...	Birr No. 1 ... Edenderry No. 1 ... Roscrea No. 2 ... Tullamore ... Athlone No. 2 ... Boyle No. 1 ... Castlerea ...		1	2 2 1 1 3	4 3 1 1 6 6 2	Influenza Pneumonia 2 Septicæmia 1 Erysipelas 1 Influenza Pneumonia 5 Influenza Broncho Pneumonia 5
Roscommon		Roscommon ...			7*	2*	* Two Cases of mixed Diphtheria and Scarlatina. Puerperal Fever 3 Influenza Broncho Pneumonia 1 Influenza Epidemic in the County
Sligo ...	Sligo ...	Strokestown ...			2		
Tipperary N.R.	Nenagh ... Thurles ...	Boyle No. 2 ... Borrisokane ... Nenagh ... Thurles ...		1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1	3 2 1	

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—contd.

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Enteric	Diphtheria	Scarlatina	Other Diseases	
Tipperary, S.R.	Clonmel ...				11	7		
	Tipperary ...	Cashel			1	5		
Waterford ...		Clonmel No. 1			2	1		
		Tipperary No. 1			5			
Westmeath	Athlone ...	Clonmel No. 2			5			
		Lismore ...			5	2	Influenzal Pneumonia 3	
Wexford ...	Enniscorthy New Ross ...	Athlone No. 1		1	5		Primary Pneumonia 2	
		Ballymore					Influenzal Pneumonia 4	
	Wexford ...	Coole			1	4		
		Delvin			8	6		
	Enniscorthy Gorey ...	Mullingar		2				
					1		Influenzal Pneumonia 3	
	Wexford ...	Enniscorthy ...		1	3	1	Influenzal Pneumonia 1	
		Gorey			1		Influenzal Pneumonia 3	
	Wexford ...	New Ross			3		Influenzal Pneumonia 2	
		Wexford			5		Primary Pneumonia 1	
Wicklow ...	Bray ...	Baltinglass No. 1			4	12	Encephalitis Lethargica 1	
		Rathdrum			3	4	Erysipelas 1	
					3	13	Influenzal Pneumonia 6	
TOTALS: —		County Boroughs	...	.	11	267	365
		Urban Districts	...	.	7	102	88
		Rural Districts	...	.	64	352	383
		Total for all Districts	...	.	82	721	836
							173	
							21	
							187	
							381	

TABLE VII.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the QUARTER (18 weeks) ENDED SATURDAY, 2nd April, 1932.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous quarter	Admitted during quarter	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment on above date
Enteric Fever	5	12	11	1	5
Typhus	•	•	•	•	•
Small-pox	•	•	•	•	6
Measles	6	32	31	1	127*
Scarlet Fever	167	300	333	7	
Diphtheria	60	184	160	21	63
Pneumonia	28	94	78	24	25

*Exclusive of 8 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

The Deaths Registered during the Quarter include

Numbers Registered

No. of Specified Deaths
marry Vaccinated

Deaths from

Deaths of

Deaths from

PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.	Area in Statute Acres.	Population Census 1926.	Mari- ages	Births	Deaths	Deaths of									
						1 year	2 years	3 years	4 years	5 years	6 years	7 years	8 years	9 years	10 years
SAORST EIREANN(b)															
Carlow	221,485	34,476	36	173	165	12	92	-	-	1	2	-	1	2	1
Dublin	208,920	100,528	526	326	171	12	171	-	-	1	2	-	1	2	1
City of Dublin	18,781	405,126	521	2,806	2,036	267	690	-	-	5	8	28	18	1	3
Kildare	41,864	58,028	51	233	232	26	107	-	-	9	12	-	1	2	1
Kilkenny	30,947	70,930	73	301	351	14	108	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	1
Laois	43,892	51,540	32	188	214	6	78	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	1
Longford	24,793	39,817	38	157	144	6	23	144	-	1	1	-	1	1	1
Louth	202,814	62,739	56	285	301	19	153	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	1
Meath	57,781	62,969	46	223	15	111	222	1	-	1	1	1	1	1	1
Offaly	493,637	52,582	57	223	15	111	222	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	1
Wexford	432,604	56,818	44	223	17	128	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	1	1
Wicklow	300,244	580,894	99	402	500	33	257	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	1
LEINSTER	4,851,136	1,149,092	1,203	5,753	5,429	501	2,276	3	-	22	15	35	51	1	41
Clare	787,768	95,064	85	384	16	234	85	59	-	3	3	2	2	2	2
Cork	1,840,905	287,257	278	1,091	1,86	85	1,39	3	-	4	7	4	61	11	95
Co. Cork	2,865	78,430	140	505	306	54	139	1	-	9	7	2	6	8	7
Kerry	1,161,478	149,171	219	615	568	35	317	1	-	2	2	1	9	41	40
Limerick	661,773	100,885	147	443	408	1	106	1	-	1	1	-	6	29	28
Limerick Co., Boro.	2,386	39,448	96	213	41	63	165	1	-	2	4	-	5	11	13
Tippenary S.R.	403,255	59,645	61	219	130	1	174	1	-	2	2	-	3	11	18
Waterford Co., Boro.	453,034	81,370	82	347	362	23	174	1	-	5	6	-	6	16	20
MUNSTER	5,962,903	909,302	1,180	4,372	3,213	8	1	-	-	27	5	21	31	1	30
Galway	1,467,639	169,306	147	798	62	391	-	-	-	19	1	20	2	59	41
Leitrim	376,774	55,907	68	202	248	3	158	-	-	1	1	-	1	30	10
Mayo	1,333,941	172,680	175	682	619	24	367	1	-	4	1	1	1	49	39
Roscommon	608,540	82,556	63	293	338	19	191	1	-	1	1	-	1	40	16
Sligo	443,828	71,388	38	295	316	18	181	-	-	3	2	-	1	22	18
CONNAUGHT	4,230,822	552,907	492	2,275	2,264	126	1,288	1	-	28	2	27	4	280	125
Connacht	467,162	82,452	82	313	365	23	192	-	-	1	1	-	1	25	24
Donegal	1,138,573	152,508	148	642	663	43	385	1	-	7	3	-	1	49	22
Monaghan	3,18,985	63,131	63	241	287	16	146	-	-	1	1	-	4	19	12
ULSTER (part of) NORTHERN IRELAND(c)	1,979,720	300,091	299	1,196	1,315	76	723	1	-	7	3	-	4	5	93
(a) Including accidental deaths, homicides, suicides.	(b) The returns for Clonegal District in Carlow Superintendent Registrar's District, and Coolattin District in the corresponding quarter of 1931 have been adopted.														
the Marriages relate to the quarter ended 31st December 1931.	not having been received in time for registration.														
(c) For Northern Ireland.															

TABLE IX.—MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS, &c.—First Quarter, 1932. SUPERINTENDENT REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS ARRANGED BY PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.

SUPERINTENDENT REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.	Area in Statute Acres.	Population Census 1926.	Deaths.*	The Deaths Registered during the Quarter include																		
				Numbers Registered			Deaths of Infants under 1 year			Deaths from Persons 65 Years and Upwards			Principal Epidemic Diseases			Deaths from Tuberculosis						
				Marriages.	Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Births.	Deaths.	Small-pox	Typhus	Malaria	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Influenza	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Other Poisons	Gases			
I. PROVINCE OF LEINSTER.																						
1. Carlow.	...	221,485	34,476	36	173	165	12	92	*	*	*	2	*	12	17	3	37	34	11			
2. Dublin.	...	84,405	19,336	10	69	77	6	32	*	*	*	1	*	10	3	9	1	3	15	20		
3. Fingal.	...	97,566	31,058	15	91	138	12	51	*	*	*	2	*	4	14	5	4	4	5	74		
4. Rathdown.	...	26,949	50,134	82	166	207	21	88	*	*	*	1	*	13	10	6	25	8	67	56		
5. Dublin, part of	18,781	405,126	520	2,806	2,036	267	690	*	*	*	*	5	28	91	157	40	113	33	32	887	29	724
6. Athy.	...	130,460	16,690	22	86	65	7	25	*	*	*	1	*	1	5	2	2	1	1	17	10	29
7. Celbridge.	...	53,703	8,116	5	25	31	5	12	*	*	*	1	*	1	9	1	1	1	1	8	1	3
8. Naas.	...	234,481	33,222	24	122	136	11	70	*	*	*	1	*	1	8	1	1	1	1	36	12	62
9. Kilkenny.	...	62,169	7,370	6	29	34	3	20	*	*	*	4	*	1	1	1	1	1	2	14	4	1
10. Callan.	...	57,867	8,745	22	43	45	2	19	*	*	*	1	*	1	9	1	1	1	2	8	13	22
11. Castlecomer.	...	133,462	23,569	22	109	104	8	48	*	*	*	4	*	1	10	7	2	6	5	3	28	16
12. Thomastown.	...	225,444	27,909	22	113	155	12	86	*	*	*	1	*	1	10	7	2	6	5	3	21	24
13. Urringford.	...	30,528	3,397	1	13	13	1	10	*	*	*	1	*	1	4	*	1	1	2	6	2	6
14. Laois.	...	200,641	22,199	18	74	98	7	52	*	*	*	1	*	1	8	5	2	6	2	1	20	32
15. Mountmellick.	...	224,251	29,341	14	114	116	7	56	*	*	*	1	*	1	10	9	1	7	1	1	28	28
16. Longford.	...	69,834	7,796	11	31	29	1	19	*	*	*	1	*	1	14	2	*	*	1	7	11	4
17. Granard.	...	84,678	13,335	10	56	49	1	29	*	*	*	1	*	1	13	6	*	4	3	2	17	21
18. Longford.	...	103,423	18,716	17	70	66	4	30	*	*	*	1	*	1	14	2	*	4	3	2	17	26
19. Louth.	...	67,289	11,030	7	56	54	7	27	*	*	*	1	*	1	3	4	4	1	2	7	6	27
20. Drogheda.	...	41,979	18,278	16	87	107	7	53	*	*	*	1	*	1	5	7	2	15	3	3	35	42
21. Dundalk.	...	93,596	33,431	34	142	140	9	64	*	*	*	1	*	1	3	6	2	6	2	6	31	14
22. Dunguaulin.	...	106,757	7,776	8	25	41	2	21	*	*	*	1	*	1	11	3	1	3	1	3	14	11
23. Kilts.	...	103,420	13,108	9	43	51	3	24	*	*	*	1	*	1	11	6	2	3	3	2	7	16
24. Navan.	...	182,153	22,708	20	82	114	12	62	*	*	*	1	*	1	12	22	2	1	1	1	5	15
25. Oldcastle.	...	44,099	4,876	3	18	22	2	18	*	*	*	1	*	1	12	22	2	1	1	1	5	12
26. Trim.	...	141,387	14,501	6	55	65	6	35	*	*	*	1	*	1	11	3	1	3	1	3	2	12

27. Birr	248,866	24,401	15	89	103	59	53
28. Fethard	...	81,156	10	20	29	27	25
29. Tullamore	...	163,613	32	102	90	26	26
WESTMEATH.							
30. Athlone	98,984	19,004	16	56	81	51	1
31. Delvin	110,986	10,342	5	43	46	24	1
32. Mullingar	225,634	27,472	23	124	126	53	1
WEXFORD.							
33. Balrothery	193,384	20,878	28	119	144	13	6
34. Gorey	130,103	14,538	15	54	91	53	1
35. New Ross	124,397	20,141	17	82	105	6	1
36. Newford	133,010	31,471	30	147	160	12	8
WICKLOW.							
37. Ballynacross	154,966	10,393	15	28	64	2	1
38. Rathdrum	262,290	30,394	30	178	194	8	1
39. Shillelagh	83,078	7,904	6	91	91	20	1
II. PROVINCE OF MUNSTER.							
CLARE.							
40. Ballyvaughan	71,629	3,495	1	17	12	11	1
41. Corofin	61,381	4,109	2	17	13	12	1
42. Tulla	113,324	18,732	14	81	78	32	1
43. Ennislynnon	99,609	15,137	22	71	62	1	1
44. Kiladysert	62,615	7,415	10	20	23	15	1
45. Killurust	137,607	22,642	17	108	85	6	1
46. Scariff	241,712	23,534	19	77	67	111	6
CORK.							
47. Bandon	101,482	15,233	11	74	4	44	1
48. Banteer	107,277	11,322	10	41	49	29	1
49. Castletown	74,296	9,362	11	44	28	16	1
50. Clonakilty	50,294	15,695	31	72	40	25	1
51. Cork (part of)	167,841	56,090	46	223	227	25	1
52. Dunganstown	103,920	11,377	6	53	48	24	1
53. Fermoy	196,733	26,775	19	103	9	47	1
54. Kancarick	185,639	21,424	33	95	75	38	2
55. Kinsale	180,129	12,650	17	31	62	31	1
56. Macroom	179,153	19,980	25	55	2	3	1
57. Mallow	169,102	24,468	25	105	111	10	1
58. Millstreet	109,380	17,883	15	44	84	3	1
59. Skibbereen	74,389	9,585	6	30	32	20	1
60. Skibbereen	115,371	20,056	18	70	6	51	1
61. Skibbereen	57,669	7,060	8	18	22	13	1
62. Youghal	36,960	9,181	7	29	4	19	1
CORK COUNTY BOROUGH.							
63. Cork (part of)	2,685	78,490	146	505	396	54	139
KERRY.							
64. Caherciveen	198,101	18,224	17	50	80	2	53
65. Dingle	126,454	15,855	22	41	4	21	1
66. Kenmare	198,416	11,482	12	43	2	31	1
67. Killarney	251,430	33,257	70	150	154	16	1
68. Listowel	163,500	29,352	46	135	110	8	1
69. Tralee	221,807	40,851	52	187	134	3	74

* Deaths in each S. R. D. corrected for those occurring in Institutions.

TABLE IX.—MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS, &c.—First Quarter, 1932.—*continued.*

The Deaths Registered during the Quarter include

The Deaths Registered during the Quarter include									
		Numbers Registered		Deaths of		Deaths from			
SUPERINTENDENT- REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.		Population Census 1826.		Deaths.*		Principal Epidemic Diseases			
Area in Statute Acres.	Deaths. Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Births.	Deaths under 1 year.	Infants under 2 years.	Tubercu- losis	Pneumonia	Other Forms	Vulnere- lance
LIMERICK.									
70. Croom	83,369	10,087	12	75	41	20	•	•	•
71. Killmallock	164,332	24,284	27	101	106	15	46	1	4
72. Limerick (pt. of)	142,823	25,417	34	101	105	16	44	1	3
73. Newcastle	143,840	23,884	30	97	99	15	53	1	1
74. Rathkeale	127,190	17,223	33	69	58	7	33	6	6
LIMERICK CO. BORO'.									
75. Limerick, pt. of	2,386	39,448	96	264	215	41	65	1	1
TIPPERARY, N.R.									
76. Borrisokane...	109,667	9,213	4	33	32	3	18	•	•
77. Newbally...	183,392	20,792	15	89	90	10	36	1	1
78. Roscrea	55,741	5,586	9	58	44	4	19	5	5
79. Thurlies	142,655	22,054	33	99	97	4	57	6	6
TIPPERARY, S.R.									
80. Carrick-on-Suir	26,118	6,893	10	34	34	3	15	1	1
81. Cashel	22,278	2,6000	16	109	103	6	62	5	5
82. Clogheen	117,415	12,348	12	47	58	5	21	1	1
83. Clonmel	47,305	13,777	12	55	69	3	26	5	5
84. Tipperary	144,414	22,352	30	142	103	6	50	1	1
WATERFORD.									
85. Duncarvan...	144,523	18,287	19	84	78	4	45	1	1
86. Killinianthomas	64,595	6,321	6	22	19	2	12	1	1
87. Lismore	97,178	10,802	14	43	41	1	21	3	3
88. Waterford (pt. of)	146,555	16,505	10	57	79	8	34	3	3
WATERFORD CO. BORO'.									
89. Waterford (pt. of)	1,438	26,647	28	191	182	38	50	25	4
III. PROVINCE OF CONNAUGHT									
GALWAY.									
90. Ballinasloe...	155,542	18,602	11	74	64	7	30	2	2
91. Clifden	193,632	13,760	12	51	45	4	22	1	1
92. Galway	198,512	32,294	38	230	173	14	83	8	8
93. Glenmamaddy	82,958	11,630	17	50	43	2	27	1	1
94. Gort	106,921	10,750	17	36	52	4	24	1	1
95. Loughrea	198,317	19,257	13	89	80	7	48	1	1
96. Mountmellick	72,439	9,114	4	41	31	2	21	1	1
97. Oughterard	173,438	14,494	8	72	82	9	43	2	2
98. Portumna	77,262	8,356	7	31	32	5	15	1	1
99. Tuam	208,558	29,100	20	124	141	18	48	33	33

* See note (*) on page 2.

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SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN

DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1932.

BY PROVINCES; COUNTIES, AND SUPERINTENDENT REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS,

WITH

*Certain Detailed information relative to the Deaths in Superintendent Registrars' Districts
and in Urban Districts; Notifications of certain Infectious Diseases in Urban and Rural areas
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NOTE.—The figures relating to vital statistics, as given in this Report, must be regarded as provisional, the revised figures appearing in the Detailed Annual Report. They may, however, be accepted as substantially correct.

In the Quarterly Reports, commencing with that for the first quarter of 1927, the Deaths registered in any part of the country have been referred, as far as practicable, to the normal area of residence of deceased.

The Births registered in each urban area, according to numerical returns furnished by the Registrars, have been partially corrected by the exclusion of those occurring in institutions of infants whose mothers were admitted from other localities. No correction is made in these reports for births in individual rural areas. In Table IV, as a consequence, there is liability to slight understatement in the births for individual urban districts, and a corresponding overstatement in those given for the aggregate of rural districts.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

The **Marriage Rate** (4.3 per 1,000 of the estimated population) for the second quarter of 1932, based on 3,181 marriages registered during the quarter, is 0.3 below the average for the corresponding quarter of the ten years, 1922–31. The marriage rate among Catholics for the second quarter of 1932 was 4.3, and among all other denominations, 3.8.

In Northern Ireland the marriage rate for the *fourth quarter of 1931* was 5.0 per 1,000; in England and Wales, 6.3, and in Scotland 6.3, as compared with 4.3 for Saorstát Eireann.

The **Birth Rate** for the second quarter of 1932, viz., 19.9 per 1,000, represented by 14,758 births registered in Saorstát Eireann, is 1.4 below the average (21.3) for the second quarters of the ten years, 1922–31. For Dublin City the birth rate was 26.4; for Dun Laoghaire 17.4; for Cork 22.7; for Limerick, 28.9; and for Waterford, 26.0.

The corresponding birth rate for Northern Ireland during this quarter was 21.0; for England and Wales, 16.6; and for Scotland, 20.0. The birth rate for Belfast was 22.8; for Londonderry, 27.7; for London, 15.3; for Glasgow, 22.3; and for Edinburgh, 16.2.

The rate in respect of **Deaths** registered in Saorstát Eireann (numbering 11,242) was 15.1 per 1,000 for this quarter, being 0.3 below the average (15.4) for the second quarters of the preceding ten years.

For Dublin City the death rate was 15.0; for Dun Laoghaire, 15.4; for Cork, 16.5; for Limerick, 14.1; and for Waterford, 17.0.

In Northern Ireland the death rate for the quarter under review was 14.7 per 1,000; in England and Wales, 11.7; and in Scotland, 13.5. In Belfast, the rate was 13.7; in Londonderry, 13.6; in London, 11.4; in Glasgow, 13.8; and in Edinburgh, 13.1.

Deaths in Saorstát Eireann from the **Principal Epidemic Diseases** (comprising enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery and diarrhoeal diseases) afforded an annual rate of 0.5 per 1,000, which is equal to the average for the second quarters of the five years, 1927–31.

The mortality from **Influenza** was equivalent to a rate of 0.7 per 1,000, the average for the corresponding quarters of the preceding five years being 0.6 per 1,000.

The rate for deaths from all forms of **Tuberculous Disease** was 1.3 per 1,000, which is 0.3 below the average rate for the second quarters of the five years preceding.

Deaths from **Puerperal Conditions** represent a rate of 4.3 per 1,000 births registered, comprising 1.5 for puerperal sepsis and 2.8 for other puerperal conditions, as compared with 1.2 and 2.6 for the second quarter of 1931.

The **Infant Mortality** rate (deaths of infants under one year of age per 1,000 births registered) was 73, in comparison with an average of 66 for the second quarters of the ten years, 1922–31.

The **Population** estimated to the middle of 1932 is 2,973,000 (males, 1,514,000, and females, 1,459,000) showing an increase of 16,000 on the estimate for the middle of 1931, which increase is derived from the natural increase, or excess of births over deaths, and the balance between inward and outward migrants.

The **Natural Increase** during the second quarter of 1932 was 3,516, as compared with an average of 4,442 for the second quarters of the ten years, 1922–31.

During the second quarter of 1932, the number of **Emigrants** to places out of Europe and not within the Mediterranean Sea was 158, and the number of **Immigrants** from these places 1,854.

MARRIAGES.

The marriages registered during the quarter ended 30th June, 1932, numbered 3,181, equivalent to an annual rate of 4.3 per 1,000 of the estimated population, this rate being equal to that for the corresponding quarter of 1930, and 0.3 below the average for the second quarter of the ten years, 1922-31 (See Table I). Of the total Marriages 2,972 (or 4.3 per 1,000 of the estimated number of Catholics in the population) were those of Catholics, and 209 related to all other denominations, equivalent to 3.8 per 1,000 of the population other than Catholic. The marriage rate among Catholics is 0.2 below, and that among other denominations 1.0 below, the respective averages for the second quarter of the preceding ten years.

BIRTHS.

During the quarter ended 30th June last, there were registered in the 640 Registrars Districts into which Saorstát Éireann is divided for registration purposes, 14,758 births, of which 7,526 were those of males and 7,232 of females, or 1,041 of the former to 1,000 of the latter.

The Birth rate was 19.9 per 1,000 of the estimated population, being 1.4 below the average (21.3) for the second quarter of the ten years, 1922-31 (See Table I).

The birth rate ascribed to **Urban Districts**, including the cities or boroughs, in the aggregate was 24.2 per 1,000 of the population, and to **Rural Districts**, 18.0 per 1,000, as compared with 24.8 and 18.7 respectively, in the second quarter of 1931 (See Table IV).

For the **Twelve Principal Towns**, the birth rate was 25.5 per 1,000, as against 25.8 per 1,000 in the corresponding quarter of last year.

Amongst these towns, the birth rate varied from 30.1 for Galway, 29.0 for Wexford and 28.9 for Limerick to 17.4 for Dun Laoghaire, 18.7 for Kilkenny, and 22.4 for Tralee.

DEATHS.

The number of deaths registered during the quarter was 11,242, and of these 5,720 were deaths of males and 5,522 of females. For all persons the equivalent annual rate was 15.1 per 1,000 of the estimated population, being 0.3 below the average for the second quarter of the preceding decennium, and 0.2 below the rate for the second quarter of the year 1931 (See Table I).

For the **Urban Districts** in the aggregate, the death rate during the quarter was 15.3 per 1,000 as compared with 15.5 for the second quarter of 1931, and for **Rural Districts**, 15.1 per 1,000 in comparison with 15.2 for the corresponding period of the preceding year.

The annual rate represented by deaths from all causes for the **Twelve Principal Towns** was 15.4 per 1,000, as compared with 15.6 per 1,000 in the second quarter of 1931.

In the quarter under review, the rates for these towns are hereunder given, ranging in order from the district with the lowest rate to that with the highest :—Kilkenny, 12.7; Limerick, 14.1; Drogheda, 14.5; Galway, 14.9; Dublin, 15.0; Dun Laoghaire, 15.4; Sligo, 15.4; Tralee, 16.3; Cork, 16.5; Waterford, 17.0; Wexford, 20.5; and Dundalk, 21.7.

Causes of Death.

In Table II, the mortality from some of the principal causes is given for the second quarter of 1932 and for each quarter of the preceding five years, as well as the averages for each quarter of these years.

Principal Epidemic Diseases.—From this Table it will be seen that the number of deaths (398) from this group of causes is 48 above that for the second quarter of 1931, viz., 350, and 36 above the average for the second quarter of the five years, 1927-31. Every disease, except enteric fever, shows an increase in comparison with the average for the previous five years. The greatest proportional increases are found in scarlet fever and diphtheria, the former causing 33 per cent. and the latter 29 per cent. more than the average.

On the other hand, the decrease in enteric fever amounts to 41 per cent. of the deaths in 1927-31.

Of 110 deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 66 (or 12.3 per 1,000 births) were recorded for urban areas, as against 44 (or 4.7 per 1,000 births) for rural areas. For urban areas of 10,000 population and upwards ("Twelve Principal Towns"), the mortality was 11.8 per 1,000 births, as compared with 14.5 per 1,000 for urban districts with less than 10,000 inhabitants.

Table III. shows that the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases in the Counties and Cities varied from 1.1 per 1,000 for the City of Dublin, to 0.0 for Leitrim.

The death rate from these diseases in relation to the twelve principal towns in the aggregate, was 1.1 per 1,000, and the rates fluctuated between 0.4 per 1,000 for Dun Laoghaire and Tralee, and 3.5 for Sligo; the 44 deaths from all causes for the latter district including 6 from measles, and 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years (Table IV).

Influenza.—Deaths from influenza amounted to 487, affording an annual rate of 0.66 per 1,000, which is 0.03 above the average for the second quarter of the preceding five years, 1927-31. Of the 487 deaths, 74 appertained to urban areas, representing 0.3 per 1,000 of the population, and 413 to rural districts, or 0.8 per 1,000; the corresponding rates for the second quarter of 1931 were also 0.3 and 0.8.

Tuberculosis.—The number of deaths from all forms of this disease during the quarter was 945, equivalent to an annual rate of 1.3 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with an average of 1,147, and a rate of 1.6 per 1,000 for the second quarter of the five years, 1927-31. As may be seen from Table III, the rates varied from 2.1 for Cork County Borough, 2.0 for Kildare and 1.9 for Dublin City to 0.6 for Clare and 0.8 for Longford and Sligo. The rate for the aggregate city or borough areas and urban districts was 1.7 per 1,000 of the population of these areas, as compared with 1.1 for rural areas. For the twelve principal town areas the rate was 1.7 per 1,000, and for urban districts under 10,000 population it was 1.5.

Puerperal Conditions.—The number of deaths ascribed to accidents and diseases of pregnancy and childbirth, as recorded during the quarter, was 64, being equal to 4.3 per 1,000 births registered. Of the 64 deaths, 22 were due to puerperal sepsis, or 1.5 per 1,000 births, and 42, or 2.8 per 1,000 births, to other puerperal conditions. The corresponding rates for the second quarter of 1931 were 1.2 and 2.6 respectively.

Ages at Death.

Of 11,242 deaths at all ages registered during the quarter, 1,070 or 9.5 per cent. were those of infants under one year of age, and 5,103 or 45.4 per cent. were those of persons 65 years and upwards.

Infant Mortality.—The infant mortality was 73 per 1,000 births registered, as compared with 49, 66 and 79 respectively, for the three preceding quarters, and an average of 66 for the second quarter of the ten years preceding (Table I).

For county boroughs and urban districts in the aggregate, the rate was 89, and for all rural districts 63 per 1,000 (Table III).

Deaths in Public Institutions.

Deaths in Institutions numbered 3,023, or 26.9 per cent. of all deaths registered.

Inquests.

There were 310 inquests or deaths registered on Coroners' Certificates during the quarter, this number being 2.8 per cent. of the total deaths registered.

Uncertified Deaths.

The number of deaths in cases where there was no medical attendant during the last illness, not including deaths registered on Coroners' Certificates) was 2,291, or 20.4 per cent. of the total deaths.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Notified.

Table VI gives the number of such cases notified during the quarter in urban and rural districts. The total number amounted to 1,899.

Vaccination.

As returned by the Registrars, the number of successful *primary* vaccinations during the quarter ended 30th June last was 11,364, or 77.0 to every 100 births registered during the quarter, the corresponding ratio for the second quarter of the five years 1927-31 being 121.8.

CITY OF DUBLIN.

BIRTHS.

Exclusive of 375 births in institutions relating to residents of other localities, the number of births recorded for the city of Dublin during the quarter under review was 2,745. The annual rate represented thereby was 26.4 per 1,000 of the estimated population, as compared with a rate of 27.0 for the corresponding quarter of 1931. The total births registered (3,120) comprise 1,582 boys and 1,538 girls.

DEATHS.

Omitting 240 deaths registered in the city relating to other localities, but including those of city residents registered elsewhere in Saorstát Éireann, the deaths ascribed to the city of Dublin for the quarter numbered 1,563, equivalent to an annual rate of 15.0 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with 15.7 per 1,000 for the second quarter of 1931. The total number of deaths registered in the city numbered 1,770—878 males and 892 females.

For the portion of the city north of the Liffey, the death-rate from all causes was 14.9 per 1,000, which is the same as in the second quarter of 1931, the corresponding rates for the south side being 14.5 and 15.5 respectively. *The mortality for these portions of the city is derived from figures partially corrected for deaths in institutions, as given in Table V., which shows the mortality for each Registrar's District, by ages and by some of the principal causes, for the quarter (thirteen weeks) ended the 2nd July, 1932.*

Causes of Death.

Principal Epidemic Diseases.—The deaths from this group of causes relating to the city during the quarter numbered 117, affording an annual rate of 1.1 per 1,000, as compared with 1.0 per 1,000, for the second quarter of the preceding year.

The following statement shows for the city of Dublin the number of deaths from some of the principal causes for the second quarter of 1932, as compared with 1931:—

CAUSE OF DEATH	Second Quarter, 1932	Second Quarter, 1931
Principal Epidemic Diseases	Enteric fever ... 1	2
	Typhus ... .	.
	Small-pox ... .	.
	Measles... 5	47
	Scarlet fever 6	6
	Whooping-cough 58	8
	Diphtheria ... 21	14
	Diarrhoea and enteritis (children under 2 years) } 26	22
	Influenza ... 9	20
	Pulmonary tuberculosis ... 136	197
Other forms ,	57	63

Increases are shown for whooping-cough, diphtheria and diarrhoeal diseases, as compared with the second quarter of last year.

On the other hand, there is a great decrease in measles, which caused only 5 deaths as compared with 47 in the second quarter of last year.

The greatest increase is shown in deaths from whooping-cough, which have risen for the third successive quarter. The number in the quarter under review is 50 more than in the corresponding quarter of 1931. The rate for the north side in 1932 is 66 per 100,000, and for the south 50.

Influenza.—The number of deaths attributed to influenza was 9, as against 91 in the previous quarter, and 20 in the second quarter of 1931.

Tuberculosis.—The deaths from all forms of tuberculous disease recorded for the city numbered 193, representing an annual rate of 1.86 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with 2.52 for the second quarter of the preceding year.

The mortality from tuberculosis in the north side of the city was 1.68 per 1,000, and in the south, 1.84, the respective rates for the second quarter of 1931 being 2.41 and 2.38.

Of the 193 deaths, 136 were ascribed to pulmonary and 57 to other forms of the disease, the former representing a rate of 1.31 per 1,000 and the latter 0.55 per 1,000.

Ages at Death.

Of the 1,563 deaths relating to the city of Dublin, as registered during the quarter, 356 (or 22.8 per cent.) were those of children under five years of age, and 445 (or 28.5 per cent.) were of persons 65 years of age or upwards, the corresponding percentages in respect of the second quarter of 1931 being 22.4 and 28.5.

The **Infant Mortality**, based on 233 deaths of infants under one year of age was 85 per 1,000 births, as compared with 79 for the second quarter of 1931.

Deaths in Public Institutions.

The deaths of Dublin residents occurring in public institutions, as registered during the quarter, numbered 777, or 49.7 per cent. of total deaths.

Cases of Infectious Disease.

The number of cases of infectious disease notified during the quarter as shown in Table VI was 583. Table VII gives the number of cases under treatment in Dublin hospitals during the quarter.

METEOROLOGY.

The mean temperature for the thirteen weeks ended 25th June, 1932, deduced from the mean weekly temperature as returned from the Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park, Dublin, was 48.9° , and at Cork (Roche's Point) it was 51.2° ; for the thirteen weeks ended 2nd July at Peamount Sanatorium it was 49.2° ; at Greenwich, 53.9 ; at Glasgow, 50.8 ; and at Edinburgh, 48.6° .

The mean daily number of hours of bright sunshine recorded at Dublin was 5.5 ; at Peamount Sanatorium, 5.3 ; at Cork (Ballinaeura), 5.8 ; at Greenwich, 4.5 ; at Glasgow 5.1 ; and at Edinburgh, 5.4 .

The rainfall during the same periods measured at Dublin 7.56 inches; at Peamount Sanatorium, 7.29 inches; at Cork (Roche's Point), 11.42 inches; at Greenwich, 7.13 inches; at Glasgow, 7.30 inches; and at Edinburgh, 5.73 inches.

The following information has been kindly furnished by the Director of the Meteorological Office, London:—

APRIL.

The unsettled weather which set in about March 20th continued with only brief interruptions during April, the month being on the whole cool and rainy. In eastern districts, however, there were considerable fair periods. Monthly totals of precipitation generally exceeded the average, although a few small areas in the south-east had less than the average April rainfall. Some snow or sleet occurred in several places on the 2nd, 3rd, 10th and 11th. Mean temperatures were from $1^{\circ}\text{F}.$ to $2^{\circ}\text{F}.$ below the normal. Maximum temperatures of $60^{\circ}\text{F}.$ or thereabouts were recorded in the east and south-east on the 9th, and widely during the last few days ($62^{\circ}\text{F}.$ at Newcastle, Wicklow, on the 9th, $60^{\circ}\text{F}.$ at Killarney on the 28th, and $59^{\circ}\text{F}.$ at Markree Castle on the 29th). Sunshine aggregates were below the average in the north and west, and about normal in the east.

MAY.

May was chiefly distinguished by its wetness and dullness in the south and east. Moderate to heavy rain occurred widely on the 8th, 12th, 13th, 17th and 30th. In the south, monthly totals of precipitation with but few exceptions ranged from $1\frac{1}{2}$ to $1\frac{3}{4}$ times the May average. In the west and north, on the other hand, rainfall totals were generally about or even slightly below the average. Except for a period of unusually mild weather from the 13th to the 22nd, the days were mostly rather cool, so that monthly mean temperatures were slightly below the normal. The first 17 days included many fine periods, but subsequently little sunshine was recorded in the south and east. There was a slight excess of sunshine in Donegal, which just came within the boundary of an area of abundant sunshine centred off the west coast of Scotland. Elsewhere there was a pronounced deficiency of bright sunshine, the average daily loss amounting to 2.7 hours at Dublin (Phoenix Park) and 2.4 hours at Ballinacurra.

JUNE.

In contrast to May, June was remarkable for its dryness. In some places the drought, which was accompanied by mainly fine and warm weather, was broken by rain during the night of the 24th to 25th, but generally the break-up occurred on the 27th, with heavy falls on the 29th and 30th; at Waterford there was absolute drought from the 1st to 26th followed by 33 mm. of rain on the 29th and 21 mm. on the 30th. In the extreme west thunderstorms on the 15th gave rise to some heavy local falls (35 mm. at Mallaranny). In Dublin the month's total rainfall amounted to less than one-fifth of the June average. Maximum temperature, frequently exceeded $70^{\circ}\text{F}.$, the highest reported being $80^{\circ}\text{F}.$ at Kilkenny on the 18th and at Killarney on the 17th and 19th. In all districts monthly mean temperatures exceeded the normal. Excellent sunshine records were obtained on several days, especially during the period 11th to 21st and, except for a slight deficiency in the extreme south-west of Ireland, sunshine aggregates were above the average for June.

TABLE A.—Showing the Mean Weekly Values and the Differences from their Normal Values of the Meteorological Elements at Phoenix Park, Dublin, for the Thirteen Weeks ended June 25th, 1932.

WEEK ENDED	AIR PRESSURE		TEMPERATURE		HYGROMETER		BRIGHT SUNSHINE		RAINFALL		WIND		
	Value reduced to Mean Sea Level	Deviation from Normal	Maximum A.	Minimum B.	Mean of A. & B.	Deviation from Normal	Mean of Dry Bulb	Mean of Wet Bulb	Mean Daily Amount	Deviation from Normal	Total Amount	Number of Days	Mean Force Scale 0-12)
April 2nd, 1932	... 992.7	-20.2	51.6	35.4	43.5	+0.4	°F.	°F.	39.9	-1.7	24	6	2.1
" 9th	... 1004.2	-8.9	51.4	33.7	42.5	-1.7	59	26	42.9	4.9	37	5	3.1
" 16th	... 1012.8	-0.4	49.6	35.1	42.3	-2.1	52	31	42.8	40.1	48	4	2.6
" 23rd	... 1010.5	-3.3	53.3	38.1	44.7	-1.1	56	30	44.9	42.2	78	7.2	2.5
" 30th	... 1006.4	-8.0	53.3	38.7	46.0	-0.7	56	36	46.9	44.8	84	3.7	2.0
May 7th	... 1013.7	-1.3	52.4	38.9	45.7	-1.7	57	31	44.9	42.5	81	5.5	2.2
" 14th	... 1007.0	-8.5	56.9	40.3	48.6	-0.3	64	31	49.8	47.2	81	5.0	1.6
" 21st	... 1011.5	-4.0	61.6	47.1	54.3	+4.1	66	40	53.5	51.1	83	3.6	1.1
" 28th	... 1013.5	-2.0	55.6	40.3	47.9	-3.5	60	36	49.1	47.1	85	2.1	1.4
June 4th	... 1013.7	-1.9	59.9	45.0	52.5	-0.5	63	40	52.6	50.4	85	6.6	1.1
" 11th	... 1020.5	+4.9	63.3	43.9	53.6	-0.9	69	33	55.6	51.4	74	4.9	2.5
" 18th	... 1022.4	+6.8	69.3	46.9	58.1	+3.1	71	43	59.7	56.9	78	9.9	1.9
" 25th	... 1010.5	+1.2	63.9	47.6	55.7	-0.2	71	39	58.5	54.6	77	8.1	2.1
MEANS	... 1011.2	-3.5	57.1	40.7	48.9	-0.4	71	26	40.5	46.8	81	5.5	2.1

* Total for 13 weeks

Mean Force Scale 0-12)

TABLE B.—Showing the Mean Weekly Values and the differences from their Normal Values of the METEOROLOGICAL ELEMENTS at Roche's Point,
Co. Cork, for the Thirteen Weeks ended June 25th, 1932.

WEEK ENDED	AIR PRESSURE		TEMPERATURE		HYGROMETER		BRIGHT SUNSHINE*		RAINFALL		WIND			
	Mean Sea Level Reduced to Mean Sea Level	Value reduced to Mean Sea Level	Maximun A.	Minimun B.	Mean of A. & B.	Deviation from Normal	Highest	Lowest	Mean of Dry Bulb	Mean of Wet Bulb	Mean Daily Amount	Deviation from Normal	Percentage of Possible	Number of Days (Beaufort Scale 0—12)
April 2nd 1932	mb.	994.6	°F	51.4	°F	46.4	+1.0	°F	36	°F	46.7	+4.1	%	mm +30
" 9th	...	1007.9	—	51.9	40.7	46.3	-0.3	53	35	46.9	43.5	74	20	6
" 16th	...	1014.5	—	50.0	39.1	44.5	-2.3	53	35	45.9	43.1	78	1.8	24
" 23rd	...	1012.1	—	52.6	41.1	46.9	-1.2	56	37	47.3	43.6	72	0.8	4
" 30th	...	1005.4	—	53.1	43.1	48.1	-0.8	55	38	48.9	47.3	88	0.4	7
May 7th	...	1012.9	—	55.0	43.9	49.5	-0.1	50	39	50.1	46.2	73	-2.7	4
" 14th	...	1007.6	—	54.9	44.4	49.7	-1.3	56	37	50.3	48.2	85	-0.8	4.0
" 21st	...	1010.1	—	57.3	50.0	53.7	+1.5	61	45	54.1	52.3	88	+0.4	5
" 28th	...	1013.9	—	56.9	45.0	50.9	-2.4	59	42	52.2	48.2	73	-0.8	4.0
June 4th	...	1011.8	—	58.3	49.6	53.9	-0.8	62	47	54.7	52.4	85	-1.6	3.4
" 11th	...	1020.5	—	60.0	48.0	54.0	-2.1	67	42	55.8	52.3	77	-0.0	3.0
" 18th	...	1021.8	—	66.0	54.7	60.3	+3.8	69	50	61.4	58.2	81	+4.5	1
" 25th	...	1021.9	—	68.6	54.1	61.3	+4.0	71	51	62.9	58.3	75	+2.6	2.5
MEANS	...	1011.9	—	56.6	45.8	51.2	-0.1	71	35	52.1	49.1	79	-0.4	2.8
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* The sunshine values are taken from the record maintained at Ballinacurra, eight miles N.N.E. of Roche's Point.

† Total for 13 weeks.

TABLE I.—Marriages, Births and Deaths registered in Saorstát Éireann, in the years 1922 to 1932, by quarters.

YEAR AND QUARTER		NUMBERS			RATES			Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births	
		Marriages	Births	DEATHS		Per 1,000 of Estimated Population			
				All ages	Under one year	Marriages	Births	Deaths	
Year	Average 1922-26	14,597	61,437	43,467	4,293	4·9	20·5	14·5	70
	1927 ...	13,418	60,054	43,677	4,254	4·5	20·3	14·8	71
	1928 ...	13,716	59,176	41,792	4,016	4·7	20·1	14·2	68
	1929 ...	13,593	58,280	42,991	4,102	4·6	19·8	14·6	70
	1930 ...	13,631	58,353	41,702	3,965	4·6	19·8	14·2	68
	1931 ...	13,236	57,103	42,957	3,884	4·5	19·3	14·5	68
	Average 1922-31	14,058	60,015	43,045	4,168	4·7	20·2	14·5	69
	Average 1922-26	4,244	15,232	12,919	1,220	5·7	20·3	17·2	80
First Quarter	1927 ...	3,813	14,892	13,410	1,328	5·2	20·1	18·1	89
	1928 ...	3,748	14,593	12,578	1,213	5·1	19·8	17·1	83
	1929 ...	3,342	14,151	13,980	1,266	4·5	19·2	19·0	89
	1930 ...	3,964	14,481	12,666	1,165	5·4	19·7	17·2	80
	1931 ...	3,494	14,301	13,680	1,271	4·7	19·3	18·5	89
	Average 1922-31	3,958	14,857	13,089	1,234	5·3	20·0	17·6	83
	Average 1922-26	3,584	16,235	11,690	1,080	4·8	21·7	15·6	67
Second Quarter	1927 ...	3,075	15,834	11,816	1,083	4·2	21·4	16·0	68
	1928 ...	3,251	15,840	11,062	985	4·4	21·5	15·0	62
	1929 ...	3,383	15,345	10,895	1,014	4·6	20·8	14·8	66
	1930 ...	3,077	15,305	10,751	1,038	4·2	20·8	14·6	68
	1931 ...	3,214	15,175	11,284	1,031	4·3	20·5	15·3	68
	Average 1922-31	3,392	15,868	11,426	1,055	4·6	21·3	15·4	66
	Average 1922-26	3,618	15,601	8,840	980	4·8	20·8	11·8	63
Third Quarter	1927 ...	3,451	15,302	8,651	866	4·7	20·7	11·7	57
	1928 ...	3,557	14,868	8,561	844	4·8	20·2	11·6	57
	1929 ...	3,720	14,993	8,524	885	5·1	20·4	11·6	59
	1930 ...	3,489	14,862	8,435	777	4·7	20·2	11·5	52
	1931 ...	3,565	14,405	8,373	705	4·8	19·5	11·3	49
	Average 1922-31	3,587	15,243	8,374	898	4·8	20·5	11·7	59
	Average 1922-26	3,151	14,369	10,018	1,013	4·2	19·2	13·4	71
Fourth Quarter	1927 ...	3,079	14,026	9,800	977	4·2	19·0	13·3	70
	1928 ...	3,160	13,875	9,591	974	4·3	18·8	13·0	70
	1929 ...	3,148	13,791	9,612	987	4·3	18·7	13·1	68
	1930 ...	3,101	13,705	9,850	985	4·2	18·6	13·4	72
	1931 ...	2,963	13,222	9,620	877	4·0	17·9	13·0	66
	Average 1922-31	3,121	14,047	9,856	981	4·2	18·9	13·3	70
	1932 ...	3,183	13,596	13,189	1,078	4·3	18·3	17·7	79
	" ...	3,181	14,758	11,242	1,070	4·3	19·9	15·1	73

TABLE II.—Deaths from some of the principal causes registered in Saorstát Éireann during each of the years 1927-32 by quarterly periods, with the rates represented thereby.

YEAR AND QUARTER	DEATHS FROM												DEATH-RATES					
	Principal Epidemic Diseases.						Tuberculosis						Per 1,000 Population		Per 1,000 Births			
	Influenza		All Forms		Pulmonary		Tuberculosis		All Forms		Pulmonary		Other Peperels		Other Peperels			
	Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Diphtheria	Dysentery	Total	Pneumococcal Diseases	Principale Epid-	All Forms	Pulmonary	Tuberculosis	Other Peperels	General	Other Peperels	General	Other Peperels		
	Typhus						demise	demise					Conditonal	Conditonal	Conditonal	Conditonal		
	Infective						Deaths (under 2 years)	Deaths (under 2 years)					Other Peperels	Other Peperels	Other Peperels	Other Peperels		
Average, 1927-31	83	8	243	68	289	8	525	1,546	3,970	3,115	3,178	80	181	0.552	0.71	1.45	1.15	
First Quarter	28	1	69	22	212	66	5	108	511	912	1,174	943	826	0.69	1.23	1.59	1.12	
Second Quarter	33	1	188	25	217	81	7	112	317	331	1,147	883	817	0.70	1.20	1.44	1.11	
Third Quarter	25	4	158	15	106	93	2	107	921	921	1,060	849	788	0.54	1.25	1.44	1.15	
Fourth Quarter	14	1	33	14	125	386	1	100	1	245	1,068	814	887	0.56	0.33	1.45	1.11	
Average, 1st Qr., 1927-31	24	1	103	20	113	84	2	118	465	630	1,099	867	827	0.63	0.35	1.49	1.12	
Average, 2nd Qr., 1927-31	22	3	64	18	92	63	2	98	362	465	1,147	901	772	0.49	0.63	1.56	1.22	
Average, 3rd Qr., 1927-31	11	3	14	15	50	37	1	148	279	175	1,014	798	768	0.38	0.24	1.37	1.08	
Average, 4th Qr., 1927-31	18	2	23	14	39	12	60	31	186	88	912	739	763	0.48	0.11	1.24	1.03	
First Quarter	26	2	20	12	20	18	7	97	58	357	873	805	778	0.50	0.67	1.50	1.05	
Second Quarter	16	1	15	15	22	10	1	71	71	365	956	853	770	0.47	0.27	1.47	1.16	
Third Quarter	22	1	16	16	30	17	4	67	136	335	202	1,083	21	0.42	0.65	1.57	1.22	
Fourth Quarter	16	3	16	16	109	16	38	64	104	350	483	1,158	901	763	0.47	0.65	1.57	1.22
1st Quarter, 1928	29	2	62	25	52	73	3	145	391	181	857	670	782	0.58	0.24	1.16	0.91	
2nd Quarter	20	1	32	19	52	58	4	166	357	130	854	668	842	0.48	0.18	1.16	0.91	
3rd Quarter	22	1	8	92	83	166	400	138	400	442	806	629	809	0.54	0.19	1.14	0.89	
4th Quarter	18	4	89	10	58	129	1	136	136	352	126	778	619	851	0.48	0.17	1.05	0.84
Average, 4th Qr., 1927-31	19	2	53	16	55	89	2	152	388	134	827	647	824	0.53	0.18	1.12	0.88	
1st Quarter, 1929	13	2	104	26	61	113	1	100	419	831	1,062	848	847	0.56	1.12	1.43	1.14	
2nd Quarter	13	1	69	24	101	81	1	110	398	487	945	717	766	0.54	0.66	1.27	0.96	
3rd Quarter	22	1	31	8	23	100	1	100	419	831	1,062	848	847	0.56	1.12	1.43	1.14	
4th Quarter	18	4	51	19	89	100	1	100	419	831	1,062	848	847	0.54	0.66	1.27	0.96	

MORTALITY BY COUNTIES, &c.

TABLE III.—Showing for Counties, etc., the DEATH RATES from all Causes, and from some of the Principal Causes, per 1,000 of the population, with the mortality per 1,000 births represented by deaths of infants and deaths from puerperal conditions, during the quarter ended 30th June, 1932.

(See Note on Second Page).

Counties and County Boroughs by Provinces with Urban and Rural Groupings	DEATH RATES PER 1,000 POPULATION FROM					Deaths of Infants under one year per 1,000 Births †	DEATHS FROM PUERPERAL CONDITIONS				
	All Causes	Principal Epidemic Diseases*	Tuberculosis		Influenza		Total		Puerperal Sepsis		
			All Forms	Pulmonary			Number	Rate per 1,000 Births †	Number	Rate per 1,000 Births †	
SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN†	15.1	0.5	1.3	1.0	0.7	73	64	4.3	22	1.5	
Carlow County ...	16.6	0.2	1.0	0.8	1.0	156	1	7.4	.	.	
Dublin ...	15.1	0.5	1.2	0.9	0.2	92	3	6.1	1	2.0	
City of Dublin† ...	15.0	1.1	1.9	1.3	0.1	85	8	2.9	4	1.5	
Kildare County ...	15.7	0.2	2.0	1.3	0.4	97	1	3.7	1	3.7	
Kilkenny „	16.8	0.7	1.2	0.9	0.8	91	2	6.5	.	.	
Laoighis „	15.5	0.3	1.7	1.4	0.5	63	.	.	.	.
Longford „	13.0	0.4	0.8	0.4	1.6	64	.	.	.	.
Louth „	18.3	0.9	1.7	1.4	0.6	85	3	9.8	.	.	
Meath „	16.3	0.8	1.2	1.0	0.4	73	2	6.9	.	.	
Offaly „	13.3	0.5	1.0	0.7	0.9	88	.	.	.	.
Westmeath „	16.5	0.5	1.2	0.9	1.0	65	2	7.7	.	.	
Wexford „	18.2	0.4	1.5	1.3	0.8	108	3	6.5	1	2.2	
Wicklow „	15.3	0.3	1.6	1.1	0.8	44	2	7.3	.	.	
LEINSTER ...	15.8	0.7	1.6	1.1	0.5	83	27	4.3	7	1.1	
Clare County ...	12.9	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.7	57	3	7.4	.	.	
Cork ...	14.9	0.4	1.0	0.8	0.6	63	6	4.7	3	2.3	
Cork Co. Borough ...	16.5	0.9	2.1	1.7	0.2	92	1	2.2	1	2.2	
Kerry County ...	13.4	0.4	0.9	0.8	1.4	43	1	1.4	1	1.4	
Limerick ...	15.6	0.6	1.3	1.0	1.3	101	2	4.0	2	4.0	
Limerick Co. Borough ...	14.1	0.7	1.0	1.0	0.6	53	1	3.5	.	.	
Tipperary County N.R. ...	16.4	0.5	1.5	1.1	0.6	73	1	3.3	.	.	
Tipperary County S.R. ...	15.0	0.6	1.4	1.1	0.4	79	2	5.0	.	.	
Waterford County ...	16.7	0.2	1.3	1.1	1.1	80	3	13.4	.	.	
Waterford Co. Borough ...	17.0	0.5	1.5	1.4	0.6	92	.	.	.	.
MUNSTER ...	14.9	0.5	1.2	0.9	0.8	70	20	4.2	7	1.5	
Galway County ...	14.9	0.4	1.0	0.7	0.8	59	4	4.8	1	1.2	
Leitrim „	14.5	.	0.9	0.7	0.7	64	.	.	.	.
Mayo „	11.9	0.1	1.0	0.8	0.3	46	4	5.0	2	2.5	
Roscommon „	14.4	0.2	0.9	0.7	0.8	52	2	5.8	1	2.9	
Sligo „	15.5	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.4	72	.	.	.	.
CONNAUGHT ...	13.9	0.3	1.0	0.7	0.6	56	10	4.1	4	1.6	
Cavan County ...	16.1	0.1	1.0	0.6	1.1	43	4	12.3	3	9.2	
Donegal „	14.7	0.5	1.2	1.0	1.0	66	1	1.6	.	.	
Monaghan „	16.0	0.6	1.0	0.6	0.7	81	2	6.8	1	3.4	
ULSTER (part of)	15.4	0.4	1.1	0.8	1.0	63	7	5.5	4	3.2	
Twelve Principal Towns											
Urban Districts under 10,000 Population ...	15.4	1.1	1.7	1.3	0.2	87	13	3.0	6	1.4	
Aggregate Co. Boroughs and Urban Districts ...	14.7	0.7	1.5	1.1	0.6	95	4	3.9	.	.	
Aggregate Rural Districts ...	15.3	1.0	1.7	1.2	0.3	89	17	3.2	6	1.1	
	15.1	0.3	1.1	0.8	0.8	63	47	5.0	16	1.7	

* Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery and diarrhoeal diseases.

† The rates for Saorstát Éireann and the City of Dublin are calculated on the estimated population in the middle of 1932; those for the other areas on the population according to the Census of 1926.

‡ The rates for the administrative counties of Dublin, Cork, Limerick and Waterford are based on the births registered therein plus a proportion (derived from the record of transfers for 1930) of the births registered in the respective county boroughs relating to other localities.

URBAN DISTRICTS.

TABLE IV.—**BIRTHS** and **DEATHS** registered during the **Quarter** ended 30th June, 1883, relating to **Urban Districts** (including County Boroughs), and the number of **BIRTHS** from some of the principal causes (see Note on second page); also particulars of **BIRTHS** and **DEATHS** (exclusive of those occurring in public institutions belonging to the **Corporations**) for **BELFAST** and **LONDONDERRY**.

The City of Dublin and the Borough of Dun Laoghaire are calculated on the estimated populations in the middle of 1932.

* The rates for Shreveport, Piney Woods, and Lake Charles are based on the Census population of 1926. The rates for all other cities and towns are based on the Census population of 1930.

TABLE V.—Showing for the Quarter (13 weeks) ended 2nd July, 1932, the mortality from All Causes and from some of the Principal Causes of residents of the several Registrars' Districts in the Cities of DUBLIN AND CORK,* also the Deaths at certain age periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths.

Note: Correction is made for Deaths of DUBLIN and CORK CITY residents occurring in institutions situated within their boundaries, as well as in institutions situated in other towns 10,000 inhabitants or upwards, in the rural portions of the REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS of BLACKROCK NO. 2, BLANCHARDSTOWN and CASTLEWOOD, COOLKICK and DRAUGONDA, FINGLAS and GLASNEVIN, and in the REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS of CORK RURAL NO. 1 and NO. 2. The figures given in this Table being summaries of the Weekly Returns are not therefore comparable with those shown in TABLE IV.—See Note on second page.

DATHS

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1932*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS	AGES AT DEATH		DEATHS FROM				Number of Deaths in Public Institutions	Number of Deaths in Private Institutions		
					Principal Epidemic Diseases							
			TOTAL DEATHS	Under 1 Year	Pneumonia	Tuberculosis	Other Causes	Violence				
North City No. 1 East	... 35,600	12.9	1.3	115	32	4	7	9	26	15	4	
" No. 1 West	... 43,200	12.5	2.6	189	41	13	11	18	15	5	57	
" No. 2	... 26,800	15.8	1.6	106	21	4	5	5	16	103	5	
" No. 3	... 33,600	14.0	1.6	118	16	4	6	5	18	49	3	
Blanchardstown and Castleknock, part of	1,900	6.3	0.4	3	1	.	.	.	18	3	2	
Clontarf & Howth, No. 1, part of	9,200	12.1	0.4	28	2	6	7	10	11	1	10	
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	20,400	16.5	1.0	84	16	3	2	1	1	1	1	
South City No. 1	... 12,100	12.2	0.7	37	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 2	... 14,400	16.7	2.2	116	13	8	9	6	13	7	1	
" No. 3	... 45,700	15.8	0.7	60	5	4	5	5	8	26	1	
" No. 4	... 33,900	15.2	0.9	120	17	5	6	9	18	97	5	
Clondalkin, part of	600	11.8	0.7	18	2	.	.	.	15	2	1	
Crumlin, part of	600	11.5	0.2	101	10	5	7	2	10	45	3	
Donnybrook, Nos. 1 and 2	... 35,000	19.9	1.2	84	1	5	2	1	8	105	4	
New Kilmalimhan, part of	16,900	10.2	0.5	55	1	1	1	1	8	28	3	
Rathfarnham, part of	1,900	10.5	0.7	150	18	3	4	2	1	104	1	
Batthunes, Nos. 1 and 2	... 41,500	14.5	0.7	152	229	59	60	72	10	4	54	
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN ...	415,900	14.6	1.1	1523	30	6	7	18	124	115	16	
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above).	.	.	.	243	30	6	7	47	5	145	1	
CITY OF CORK	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	28	1
Cork Urban No. 1	... 12,887	12.5	0.7	40	2	.	.	.	3	28	2	
" No. 2	... 11,208	15.5	0.7	42	5	1	1	1	3	18	1	
" No. 3	... 10,971	15.3	0.7	42	8	2	1	1	2	25	1	
" No. 4	... 8,642	19.4	2.3	42	1	3	2	1	4	21	1	
" No. 5	... 5,613	13.9	1.4	10	1	3	2	1	1	10	6	
" No. 6	... 12,603	17.7	0.7	53	8	2	1	1	2	35	3	
" No. 7	... 17,214	17.2	0.7	12	17	3	5	1	5	47	3	
TOTAL CITY OF CORK ...	78,480	15.9	0.8	312	41	12	7	11	23	7	8	

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

TABLE VI.—Summary of cases of Infectious Disease notified to the Department of Local Government and Public Health in respect of Saorstát Éireann for the Quarter ended 30th June, 1932.

County Boroughs				Typhus	Enteric	Diphtheria	Scarlatina	Other Diseases
Cork			22	15	Primary Pneumonia 5 Influenzal Pneumonia 2 Varicella 13 Puerperal Fever 2 Erysipelas 3
Dublin		4	193	286	Primary and Influenzal Pneumonia 65 Erysipelas 25 Puerperal Fever 8 Encephalitis Lethargica 1 Para-Typhoid 1
Limerick			55	76	Erysipelas 2 Primary Pneumonia 6 Puerperal Fever 1
Waterford		2	11		Erysipelas 1

County		Urban	Rural	Typhus	Enteric	Diphtheria	Scarlatina	Other Diseases
Carlow	...	Carlow	...			5	2	Lobar Pneumonia 1 Influenzal Pneumonia 2
			Batinglass No. 2				1	
Cavan	...	Cavan	...	Carlow	...	3	14	Primary Pneumonia 1
			Bailieborough			7	1	
Clare	...	Ennis	Bawnboy	...			1	Influenzal Pneumonia 1
			Cavan	...	1	7	1	
			Enniskillen No. 2		1			
			Ennis	...		4	1	
			Limerick No. 2			1	4	
			Scarrif	...		2	1	
						1	2	

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—*contd.*

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Enteric	Diphtheria	Scarlatina	Other Diseases
Cork	Clonakilty ... Fermoy ... Macroom ... Mallow ... Midleton ... Passage West	Bandon ... Bantry ... Castletown ... Charleville ... Clonakilty ... Cork ... Dunmanway ... Fermoy ... Kanturk ... Kinsale ... Macroom ... Mallow ... Millstreet ... Mitchelstown No. 1 ... Skull ...			1 1 1 1 30	1 2 2 10 4	Lobar Pneumonia 1 Erysipelas 1 Broncho Pneumonia 1 Influenza 2 Influenza 6 Influenza Broncho Pneumonia 1 Primary Pneumonia 1
					4 4 8 2 2	4 4 15 7 4	Puerperal Sepsis 1 Erysipelas 1 Puerperal Fever 1 Varicella 2 Erysipelas 1 Puerperal Fever 1 Pneumonia 1
				1		16	Puerperal Fever 1
					2 2 4 1	1 4 4 1	Primary Pneumonia 1
							Influenza Pneumonia 6 Pneumonia 1
Donegal	...	Donegal ... Dunfanaghy ... Glenties ... Inishowen ...		1 4 3	1 1 2	14	Puerperal Fever 1 Lobar Pneumonia 1 Lobar Pneumonia 1 Pneumonia 2 Erysipelas 1 Lobar Pneumonia 1
Dublin	...	Dun Laoghaire ... Howth ...	Letterkenny ... Stranorlar ...	3		3 5	Erysipelas 4
			Balrothery ...		2	11	Primary Pneumonia 1 Cerebro Spinal Meningitis 1
			Celbridge No. 2 ... Dublin North ...		2 1	2 1	
			Dublin South ... Rathdown No. 1 ...	1	6 1	3 12	Lobar Pneumonia 1 Erysipelas 2 Encephalitis Lathargica 1 Erysipelas 1 Erysipelas 1 Cerebro Spinal Meningitis 1 Puerperal Sepsis 1 Meningitis 1
Galway	...	Ballinasloe ... Galway ...	Ballinasloe No. 1 ... Clifden ... Galway ... Glenamaddy ... Gort ... Loughrea ... Oughterard ... Portumna ... Tuam ...	1	14	14	
					1	1	
					8 1 1 1 4 1 5	1 1 2 4 2 1 6	Erysipelas 1 Influenza Pneumonia 1 Meningitis 1 Lobar Pneumonia 3 Pneumonia 1
Kerry	...	Killarney ... Listowel ...	Cahirciveen ... Dingle ... Killarney ...	3 1 1	7 4 4	1 1 1	Influenza Pneumonia 1 Influenza Pneumonia 5 Influenza Pneumonia 2
			Listowel ...		12	10	Influenza Pneumonia 20
			Tralee ...	10		1	
Kildare	...	Athy ... Naas ...	Athy No. 1 ... Naas No. 1 ...		1 4 4	1 15	Influenza Pneumonia 2 Primary Pneumonia 2 Puerperal Fever 1
Kilkenny	...	Kilkenny	Callan ... Carrick-on-Suir No. 3 ... Castlecomer ... Kilkenny ... Thomastown ...	8	1 2 3 3	17 1	

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—*contd.*

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Enteric	Diphtheria	Scarlatina	Other Diseases
Laoighis ...		Abbyleix ... Mountmellick ... Sleevemargy ...			2 2	13 4	
Leitrim ...		Carrick-on-Shannon No. 1			4		Encephalitis Lethargica 1
Limerick ...		Manorhamilton Croom ...	5	3		17	Puerperal Fever 3
		Kilmallock ...		3		6	Pneumonia 2
		Limerick No. 1		6		9	Measles Epidemic
		Mitchelstown No. 2 ...					Pneumonia 4
		Newcastle ...				22	Influenzal Pneumonia 2
Longford ...		Rathkeale ... Tipperary No. 2	1	4	24		Primary Pneumonia 2
		Ballymahon ...		1			Pneumonia 10
		Granard No. 1.		3			Influenzal Pneumonia 2
		Longford ...		2			Erysipelas 1
Louth ...	Drogheda	Ardee No. 1 ...	1	2		3	Influenzal Pneumonia 3
	Dundalk	Dundalk ...					Influenzal Pneumonia 1
Mayo ...		Ballina ... Belmullet ... Castlebar ... Claremorris ... Swinstown ... Westport ...		5	1	11	
							Primary Pneumonia 5
							Pneumonia 3
							Influenzal Pneumonia 1
							Lobar Pneumonia 1
Meth ...	Ceannamus Mor Trim ...	An Uaimh ... Dunshaughlin ... Oldcastle ... Trim ...			1 2 3 4 5 2	2 4 5 1	
Monaghan ...	Clones	Carrickmacross	1	1		9	Erysipelas 1
	Monaghan	Castleblayney ... Clones No. 1 ... Monaghan ...	2	10		4	Puerperal Sepsis 1
							Erysipelas 1
							Puerperal Sepsis 1
							Measles Epidemic
							Lobar Pneumonia 1
							Influenzal Pneumonia 1
Offaly ...	Birr	Carrick-on-Shannon No. 1 ... Tullamore ...			6		
	Tullamore	Edenderry No. 1 ... Roscrea No. 2	1	2	2		1
Roscommon		Tullamore ... Athlone No. 2 ... Boyle No. 1 ... Carrick-on-Shannon No. 2	1	2	4	1	
		Castlerea ...	1	1		10	Puerperal Fever 1
		Roscommon ...	1	1	6	2	Primary Pneumonia 1
Sligo ...		Sligo ...			4	2	
Tipperary N.R.	Nenagh					1	
	Thurles	Thurles ...				1	
						6	

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—contd.

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Enteric	Diphtheria	Scarlatina	Other Diseases	
Tipperary, S.R.	Carrick-on-Suir				1			
	Clonmel ...				6			
	Tipperary ...	Clogheen No. 1		1	1			
		Slieveardagh		1	1			
Waterford ...		Clonmel No. 2		1	1			
		Dungarvan ...		1	3			
		Kilmacthomas			18			
		Lismore ...					Puerperal Fever 1	
Westmeath	Athlone ...				1	1		
		Athlone No. 1			2	2		
		Coole ...				3	Pneumonia 1	
		Delvin ...				10	Erysipelas 1	
Wexford ...	Enniscorthy New Ross ...	Mullingar ...	6	10	10		Primary Pneumonia 1	
					2	1		
		Enniscorthy ...					Puerperal Fever 1	
		Gorey ...					Puerperal Sepsis 1	
Wicklow ...	Bray ...	New Ross ...			1			
		Wexford ...			1			
		Baltinglass No. 1			9	6	Erysipelas 3	
		Rathdrum ...			5	12		
TOTALS:		County Boroughs	...	6	281	377	135	
		Urban Districts	...	7	84	82	22	
		Rural Districts	...	67	261	426	150	
		Total for all Districts	...	1	626	885	307	

TABLE VII.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the QUARTER (13 weeks) ENDED SATURDAY, 2nd July, 1932.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous quarter	Admitted during quarter	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment on above date
Enteric Fever	5	3	5	•	3
Typhus	•	•	•	•	•
Small-pox	•	•	•	•	•
Measles	6	29	27	1	7
Scarlet Fever	127	295	297	8	117*
Diphtheria	63	201	182	20	62
Pneumonia	25	78	62	12	29

*Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

The Deaths Registered during the Quarter include

PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.	Area in Statute Acres	Population Census 1926.	Numbers Registered		Deaths from									
					Deaths of Persons under 1 year		Deaths of Persons 65 years and upwards		Principal Epidemic Diseases		Tubercu- losis		Deaths in Public Institutions	
			Marri- ages	Births	Deaths	Deaths	Deaths	Deaths	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping- cough	Diphtheria	Influenza	Decertified Deaths
Saorstat Eireann(b)	17,024,481	2,971,992	3,181	14,758	11,242	1,070	5,103	13	-	69	24	101	81	-
Carlow	221,485	34,476	41	135	143	21	62	-	-	-	2	2	9	37
Dublin	203,920	105,525	136	321	380	45	123	-	-	-	3	3	22	10
City of Dublin	105,196	405,196	711	1,320	1,563	445	1	-	-	-	5	5	9	37
Kildare	58,028	58,028	557	269	228	26	99	1	-	-	26	1	136	44
Laois	418,644	51,540	63	321	298	189	2	-	-	-	1	1	6	10
Leitrim	309,470	39,990	40	204	200	17	95	-	-	-	1	1	18	4
Longford	257,385	39,847	52	141	130	9	78	1	-	-	1	1	4	3
Louth	202,814	62,739	52	316	387	26	120	-	-	-	6	6	10	27
Meath	577,816	62,969	60	280	257	21	109	74	-	-	4	4	7	21
Offaly	493,626	52,582	52	216	175	19	74	-	-	-	1	1	12	9
Westmeath	433,604	56,818	57	261	235	17	93	-	-	-	4	4	13	4
Wexford	580,894	95,848	87	462	435	50	204	-	-	-	5	5	19	8
Wicklow	500,244	57,591	74	274	220	12	101	-	-	-	5	5	11	10
LEINSTER	4,851,136	1,149,092	1,463	6,319	4,551	524	1,742	6	-	-	1	1	12	7
Clare	787,768	95,064	63	405	306	23	172	-	-	-	4	4	17	12
Cork	1,840,905	287,257	218	1,216	1,072	81	545	1	-	-	5	5	44	16
Cork Co. Borough	5,386	78,490	179	554	323	41	102	-	-	-	6	6	33	8
Kerry	1,161,708	149,171	109	694	499	30	263	1	-	-	7	7	3	18
Limerick	661,573	100,365	65	470	393	15	180	-	-	-	4	4	54	30
Limerick Co., Boro.	2,386	39,448	89	314	33	15	139	-	-	-	3	3	33	8
Tipperary S.R.	493,225	59,645	69	303	244	22	121	-	-	-	2	2	5	16
Waterford	558,034	81,370	80	403	306	32	141	2	-	-	1	1	6	17
Waterford Co., Boro.	453,051	51,915	46	210	217	18	105	-	-	-	1	1	14	3
Waterford	1,438	26,647	46	187	113	16	51	-	-	-	1	1	9	10
MUNSTER	5,962,803	969,902	919	4,716	3,612	328	1,713	4	-	-	11	12	15	29
Galway	1,467,639	169,366	106	841	631	50	338	2	-	-	1	1	3	2
Leitrim	376,774	55,907	54	187	202	12	115	-	-	-	2	2	35	30
Mayo	1,333,941	172,690	134	516	277	37	164	-	-	-	1	1	10	10
Roscommon	608,540	83,556	112	314	301	18	164	-	-	-	2	2	16	14
Sligo	443,928	71,388	86	202	276	21	154	-	-	-	7	7	4	8
CONNAUGHT	4,230,822	552,907	492	2,460	1,926	138	1,048	2	-	-	20	4	5	8
Cavan	467,162	82,452	94	326	331	14	163	-	-	-	1	1	23	12
Donegal	1,193,573	152,508	131	641	561	42	317	1	-	-	1	1	40	9
Monaghan	318,985	65,131	52	206	261	24	120	-	-	-	6	6	11	9
ULSTER (Part of)	1,979,720	300,091	277	1,263	1,153	80	600	1	-	-	15	1	7	4
IRELAND(c)	3,351,444	1,256,561	1,565	6,586	4,620	485	2,058	2	-	-	23	3	64	17

(a) Including accidental deaths, homicides, and suicides. (b) The return for Tinahely District, not having been received in time for Press, the number of Births and Deaths registered in the corresponding quarter of 1931 have been adopted. (c) For Northern Ireland, the Marriages relate to the quarter ended 31st March 1931.

No. of successful marriages
No. of successful vaccinations

TABLE IX.—MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS, &c.—Second Quarter, 1932. SUPERINTENDENT REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS ARRANGED BY PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.

SUPERINTENDENT REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.	Area in Statute Acres.	Population 1926.	Numbers Registered	The Deaths Registered during the Quarter include																			
				Deaths under 1 year	Infants under 5 years and upwards	Fever	Typhus	Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria and other diseases under children under 5 years)	Pulmonary Disease	Viral Disease	Infective Cases	Deaths in Public Institutions	Unregistered Deaths	No. of successful marriages					
I. PROVINCE OF LEINSTER																							
CARLOW.	... 221,485	34,476	41	135	143	21	62	•	•	•	•	•	9	7	2	10	4	5	33	37	73		
DUBLIN.	84,405	19,836	28	66	74	10	24	•	•	•	•	•	3	7	1	3	14	2	21	40	5	55	
Barrothy, part of Dublin.	97,566	31,058	25	90	117	15	30	•	•	•	•	•	1	6	5	5	21	8	6	69	86	43	
4. Rathdown ...	26,949	50,134	83	165	189	20	69	•	•	•	4	•	3	1	9	1	9	8	8	69	69	43	
CITY OF DUBLIN	5. Dublin, part of	18,781	40,5,126	711	3,120	1,563	238	445	1	6	58	21	•	26	9	136	57	129	42	777	16	1448	
KILDARE.	6. Athy ...	130,460	16,690	6	82	83	10	34	1	•	•	•	1	10	2	5	2	3	25	2	76	76	
7. Celbridge ...	53,703	8,116	9	31	34	3	14	•	•	•	•	•	1	5	3	3	12	4	5	9	27	11	43
8. Nas ...	234,481	33,222	42	166	111	13	51	•	•	•	•	•	1	5	6	5	12	4	5	5	27	11	43
KILKENNY.	9. Callan ...	62,160	7,370	4	25	35	5	18	•	•	•	•	•	1	1	1	2	7	1	1	7	7	14
10. Cashel ...	57,867	8,745	7	44	44	9	29	•	•	•	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	7	2	2	2	68	
11. Kilkenney ...	133,462	28,563	19	124	80	9	11	62	2	•	•	•	1	1	1	1	3	5	5	3	3	144	
12. Thomastown ...	225,444	27,909	27	114	122	11	62	3	24	3	•	•	1	5	5	5	1	1	5	5	5	5	
13. Ullinford ...	30,528	8,397	6	14	14	3	12	•	•	•	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	3	3	1	
14. TAOIGHS,	15. Abbeyleix ...	200,641	22,199	15	76	85	11	37	•	•	•	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	2	10	18	30	
16. Mountmellick ...	224,951	26,341	25	128	115	6	58	•	•	•	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	12	2	10	21	33	
LONXFORD.	16. Ballyntron ...	69,834	7,736	6	16	29	3	19	•	•	•	•	•	1	3	10	3	1	1	1	1	4	22
17. Granard ...	84,678	13,335	5	45	41	3	27	•	•	•	2	•	1	3	3	3	1	1	1	1	3	22	
18. Longford ...	103,423	18,716	21	80	60	3	32	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	41	
LOUTH.	19. Ardee ...	67,239	11,030	12	56	52	2	23	•	•	•	1	1	1	1	6	10	1	1	1	1	1	
20. Drogheda ...	41,979	12,278	18	100	73	6	26	•	•	•	1	1	1	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
21. Dundalk ...	93,596	33,431	22	150	162	18	71	•	•	•	1	1	1	1	4	6	10	1	1	1	1	1	
MEATH.	22. Dunshaughlin ...	106,757	7,776	11	22	40	4	14	•	•	•	1	1	1	1	6	10	1	1	1	1	1	
23. Kells ...	103,420	13,108	16	67	59	5	32	•	•	•	1	1	1	1	6	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	
24. Navan ...	182,153	22,708	18	89	76	9	32	•	•	•	1	1	1	1	6	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	
25. Oldcastle ...	44,870	14,570	12	85	17	12	22	•	•	•	1	1	1	1	6	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	
26. Trim ...	141,387	14,901	12	65	12	12	22	•	•	•	1	1	1	1	6	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	

OFFALY	27. Birr	24,401	25	103	77	11	1	1	23	15
	28. Edenderry	..	24	11	2	3	3	3	23	12
	29. Tullamore	..	7	6	33	6	3	3	25	36
WESTMEATH.	30. Athlone	19,004	29	88	69	6	1	1	22	12
	31. Navan	110,986	10,322	32	41	16	1	1	15	4
	32. Mullingar	..	27,472	18	125	11	5	5	46	172
WEXFORD.	33. Gorey	193,384	29,878	35	127	115	13	4	24	6
	34. Enniscorthy	130,103	14,358	57	64	55	2	3	13	48
	35. New Ross	124,397	15,141	100	70	45	3	3	25	33
	36. Newford	..	31,471	22	168	156	22	7	4	27
WICKLOW.	37. Baltinglass	154,966	10,393	7	49	21	1	1	8	48
	38. Rathdrum	262,200	39,391	95	199	156	9	1	46	123
	39. Stillalah	..	83,078	6	28	15	1	1	2	1
II. PROVINCE OF MUNSTER.										
CLARE.	40. Ballyvaughan	71,629	3,495	2	12	11	1	1	2	4
	41. Corofin	61,381	4,109	7	11	16	2	1	1	24
	42. Ennis	..	113,324	18,732	16	100	60	6	1	109
	43. Ennistymon	..	99,600	15,137	5	52	36	3	1	24
	44. Killaloe	..	62,615	7,415	10	35	32	2	1	51
	45. Kilrush	..	137,507	26,612	6	119	73	4	1	23
	46. Scariff	..	241,112	23,534	17	76	79	5	1	23
CORK.	47. Bandon	101,482	15,233	16	75	61	3	1	2	77
	48. Bantry	..	107,277	11,322	7	50	39	24	1	12
	49. Castleconnell	..	74,296	9,362	2	43	17	12	1	5
	50. Charleville	..	80,994	15,663	7	68	56	5	1	16
	51. Cork (part of)	..	167,841	56,090	26	247	20	88	2	23
	52. Dunganway	..	103,920	11,077	8	37	32	18	1	144
	53. Fermoy	..	196,733	26,785	32	104	9	56	1	17
	54. Kanturk	..	185,659	21,421	12	117	85	6	1	18
	55. Kinsale	..	80,129	12,639	12	36	51	2	1	165
	56. Macroom	..	179,153	19,080	17	70	72	6	2	29
	57. Mallow	..	169,102	24,468	22	124	105	8	1	12
	58. Millstreet	..	109,380	17,882	27	65	65	4	1	13
	59. Millstreet	..	74,989	9,555	3	43	35	5	1	62
	60. Skibbereen	..	115,371	20,656	14	86	74	9	1	10
	61. Skul	..	57,669	7,060	8	30	40	26	1	36
	62. Youghal	..	36,960	9,181	5	28	14	1	1	15
CORK BOROUGH.	63. Cork (part of)	2,685	78,490	179	514	323	41	102	7	619
KERRY.	64. Caherciveen	198,101	18,224	13	71	63	36	1	8	98
	65. Dingle	126,454	15,855	1	54	29	1	1	6	6
	66. Kenmare	..	198,416	11,432	10	148	124	21	1	38
	67. Killarney	..	251,430	38,257	17	11	70	9	1	39
	68. Listowel	..	165,500	29,552	6	127	102	59	1	120
	69. Tralee	..	221,807	46,831	53	122	8	48	1	56

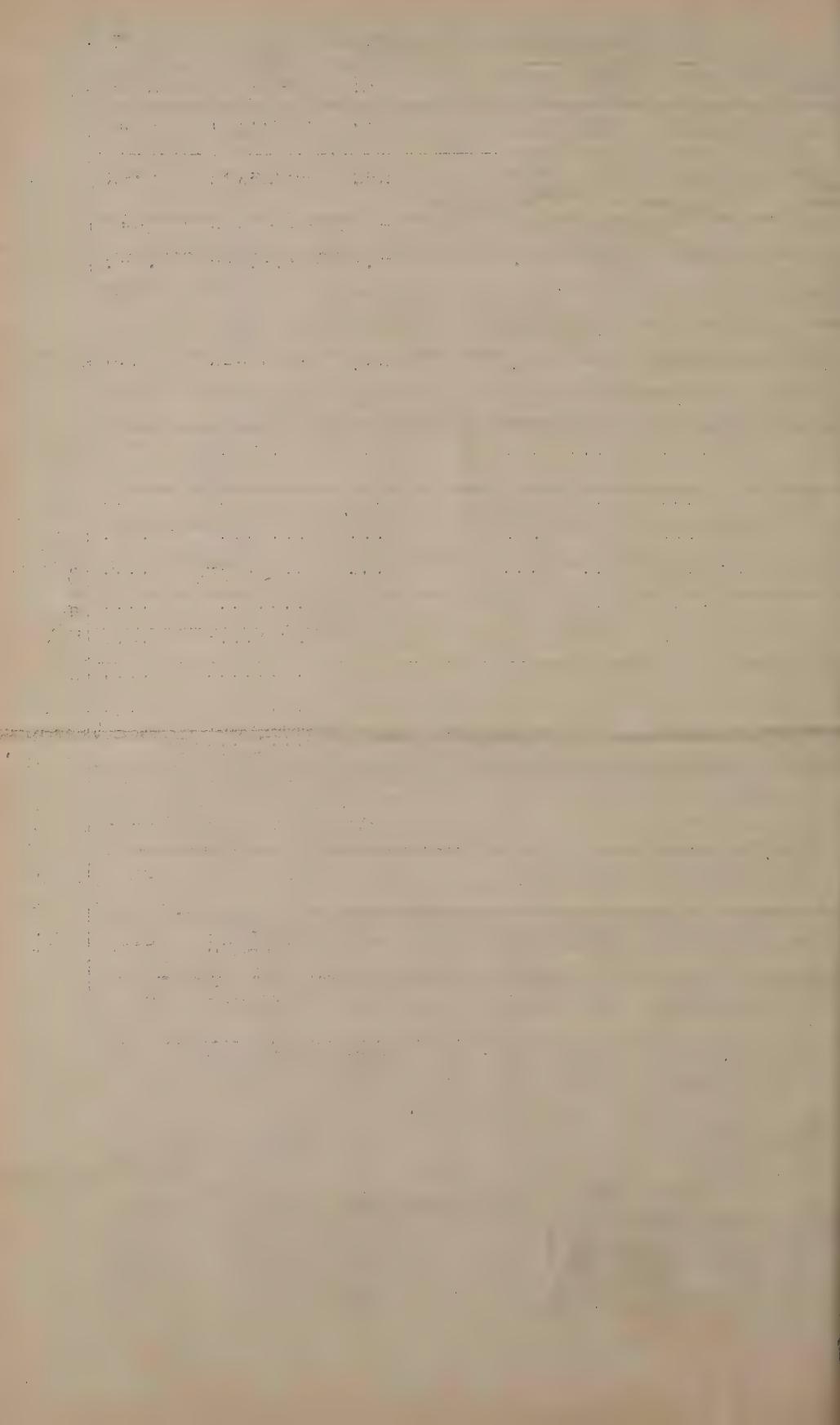
* Deaths in each S. R. D. corrected for those occurring in Institutions.

TABLE IX.—MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS, &c.—Second Quarter, 1932.—continued.

SUPERINTENDENT-REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.	Area in Statute Acres.	Population Census 1926.	Numbers Registered	The Deaths Registered during the Quarter include													
				Deaths of			Principal Epidemic Diseases			Tuberculosis			Other Forms				
				Marriages,	Births,	Deaths.*	Diphtheria	Whooping-Cough	Influenza	Pulmonary	Cancer	Violence	Homicide Cases	Misfortune in Public Institutions	No. of successful primary Vaccinations		
LIMERICK.																	
70. Croom, ...	83,369	10,087	11	72	58	6	27	1	4	4	3	2	20	6	60		
71. Kilmallock, ...	164,312	24,284	12	109	95	15	36	1	5	8	3	1	25	21	175		
72. Limerick (pt. of)	142,823	25,417	13	119	96	18	43	1	5	9	1	1	10	23	113		
73. Newcastle, ...	143,840	25,884	10	95	84	10	47	2	7	9	1	1	15	31	133		
74. Rathkeale, ...	127,139	17,223	14	75	60	8	27	2	12	5	1	4	11	9	133		
LIMERICK CO. BORO.	2,386	39,448	85	314	130	15	33	3	1	6	10	5	10	64	3	290	
TIPPERARY, N.R.																	
76. Borrisokane, ...	109,667	9,213	3	38	30	2	17	1	1	4	3	2	1	6	9	54	
77. Neagh, ...	183,382	20,792	20	100	78	2	38	1	1	3	1	1	23	22	42	42	
78. Roscrea, ...	53,541	7,586	16	38	30	2	16	1	1	5	1	1	6	3	3	102	
79. Thurles, ...	142,655	22,054	30	107	106	11	50	1	1	2	1	1	2	27	24	102	
TIPPERARY, S.R.																	
80. Carrick-on-Shannon, ...	26,118	6,893	10	33	36	4	17	1	1	1	2	1	3	7	4	60	
81. Cashel, ...	222,782	56,000	23	128	97	13	41	1	1	3	2	1	5	17	17	134	
82. Clogheen, ...	111,415	12,348	13	36	48	3	26	2	1	3	2	1	2	12	51	51	
83. Clonmel, ...	47,305	3,777	22	56	40	3	17	1	1	3	2	1	1	10	2	49	
84. Tipperary, ...	144,414	22,352	12	130	85	7	40	1	1	2	5	1	1	22	18	79	
WATERFORD.																	
85. Dungarvan, ...	144,323	18,287	13	75	73	9	34	1	1	5	2	1	4	2	2	83	
86. Kilmacthomas, ...	64,395	6,321	6	19	21	3	7	1	1	2	2	1	5	6	6	24	
87. Lismore, ...	97,178	10,802	11	47	48	5	27	1	1	6	3	1	10	5	5	56	
88. Waterford (pt. of)	146,955	16,503	16	69	75	5	37	1	1	5	3	1	24	11	11	49	
WEXFORD CO. BORO.																	
89. Waterford (pt. of)	1,438	26,647	40	187	113	16	51	1	1	2	4	9	1	10	7	3	30
III. PROVINCE OF CONNAUGHT																	
GALWAY.																	
90. Ballinasloe, ...	155,542	18,602	7	79	78	4	44	1	1	3	2	1	1	3	3	26	
91. Clifden, ...	193,682	37,760	13	41	52	2	32	1	1	3	2	1	3	3	3	25	
92. Galway, ...	198,532	34,294	11	204	138	17	57	1	1	2	1	1	34	34	34	29	
93. Glenamaddy, ...	82,938	11,239	3	38	36	1	24	1	1	6	9	1	1	3	3	24	
94. Gort, ...	106,321	10,750	46	46	37	1	23	1	1	4	4	1	5	5	5	50	
95. Loughrea, ...	198,917	19,257	4	58	68	5	38	1	1	6	1	1	5	5	5	50	
96. Mountbellew, ...	72,439	11,114	6	42	32	2	20	1	1	5	1	1	9	9	9	18	
97. Oughterard, ...	173,438	14,494	13	76	55	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	49	
98. Portumna, ...	77,262	8,356	6	41	34	3	17	1	1	2	1	1	8	9	9	49	
99. Tuam, ...	208,555	29,100	14	136	101	10	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	39	

LÉITRIM.	100. Carrick-on-Shn. 101. Manorhamilton 102. Mohill ...	63,587 10,422 21,791 23,694	31 65 86	18 4 8	18 49 48	11 30 37
MAYO.	103. Ballina ... 104. Ballinrobe ... 105. Belmullet ... 106. Castlebar ... 107. Claremorris ... 108. Swinford ... 109. Westport ...	251,108 147,105 179,761 141,211 110,789 20,573 156,063	24 25 25 25 25 24 24	133 63 94 31 121 68 113	85 12 5 2 16 36 8	3 3 1 1 1 1 1
ROSCOMMON.	110. Boyle ... 122,372 163,690 112. Roscommon	18,656 24 33 55	76 86 151 12	65 3 85 81	39 44 17 12	1 1 2 1
Sligo.	113. Dromore West 114. Sligo ... 115. Tubbercurry	97,543 220,516 125,863	16 51 19	44 190 58	36 17 33	7 4 .
IV. PROVINCE OF ULSTER (part of).						
CAVAN.	116. Baileborrough 117. Bawnboy ... 118. Cavan ...	113,901 102,420 250,841	21,473 12,232 48,747	25 15 54	77 40 21	43 24 96
DONEGAL.	119. Ballyshannon 120. Donegal ... 121. Dunfanaghy ... 122. Glenties ... 123. Inishowen ... 124. Letterkenny ... 125. Milford ... 126. Stranorlar ...	41,628 160,441 126,123 258,305 160,021 160,377 16,889 174,389	6 18 4 1 1 1 10 17	49 51 49 66 105 86 53 59	20 35 31 1 1 1 1 5	1 1 1 2 2 1 1 2
MONAGHAN.	127. Carrickmacross 128. Castleblayney 129. Glenties ... 130. Monaghan ...	65,680 63,834 64,288 125,183	13,740 13,932 12,322 25,107	5 14 9 24	69 68 58 101	47 3 25 9
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In the Quarterly Reports, commencing with that for the first quarter of 1927, the Deaths registered in any part of the country have been referred, as far as practicable, to the normal area of residence of deceased.

The Births registered in each urban area, according to numerical returns furnished by the Registrars, have been partially corrected by the exclusion of those occurring in institutions of infants whose mothers were admitted from other localities. No correction is made in these reports for births in individual rural areas. In Table IV, as a consequence, there is liability to slight understatement in the births for individual urban districts, and a corresponding overstatement in those given for the aggregate of rural districts.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

The **Marriage Rate** (4·7 per 1,000 of the estimated population) for the third quarter of 1932, based on 3,478 marriages registered during the quarter, is 0·1 below the average for the corresponding quarter of the ten years, 1922-31. The marriage rate among Catholics for the third quarter of 1932 was 4·7, and among all other denominations, 4·6.

In Northern Ireland the marriage rate for the *second quarter* of 1932 was 4·9 per 1,000; in England and Wales, 6·9, and in Scotland 6·5, as compared with 4·3 for Saorstat Eireann.

The **Birth Rate** for the third quarter of 1932, viz., 19·9 per 1,000, represented by 14,779 births registered in Saorstat Eireann, is 0·6 below the average (20·5) for the third quarters of the ten years, 1922-31. For Dublin City the birth rate was 27·7; for Dun Laoghaire 17·3, for Cork 21·6; for Limerick, 28·1; and for Waterford, 28·8.

The corresponding birth rate for Northern Ireland during this quarter was 20·6; for England and Wales, 15·5; and for Scotland, 18·0. The birth rate for Belfast was 21·3; for Londonderry, 29·0; for London, 14·2; for Glasgow, 19·5; and for Edinburgh, 15·3.

The rate in respect of **Deaths** registered in Saorstat Eireann (numbering 8,882) was 11·9 per 1,000 for this quarter, being 0·2 above the average (11·7) for the third quarters of the preceding ten years.

For Dublin City the death-rate was 12·7; for Dun Laoghaire, 10·9; for Cork, 13·1; for Limerick, 14·1; and for Waterford, 12·3.

In Northern Ireland the death-rate for the quarter under review was 11·8 per 1,000; in England and Wales, 9·7; and in Scotland, 10·8. In Belfast, the rate was 11·2; in Londonderry, 11·8; in London, 9·3; in Glasgow, 10·8; and in Edinburgh, 11·0.

Deaths in Saorstat Eireann from the **Principal Epidemic Diseases** (comprising enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery and diarrhoeal diseases) afforded an annual rate of 0·6 per 1,000, which is 0·1 above the average for the third quarters of the five years, 1927-31.

The mortality from **Influenza** was equivalent to a rate of 0·2 per 1,000, the average for the corresponding quarters of the preceding five years being 0·4 per 1,000.

The rate for deaths from all forms of **Tuberculosis Disease** was 1·1 per 1,000, which is 0·1 below the average rate for the third quarters of the five years preceding.

Deaths from **Puerperal Conditions** represent a rate of 2·7 per 1,000 births registered, comprising 0·6 for puerperal sepsis and 2·1 for other puerperal conditions, as compared with 1·3 and 3·0 for the third quarter of 1931.

The **Infant Mortality rate** (deaths of infants under one year of age per 1,000 births registered) was 61, in comparison with an average of 59 for the third quarters of the ten years, 1922-31.

The **Population** estimated to the middle of 1932 is 2,974,000 (males, 1,514,000, and females, 1,460,000) showing an increase of 17,000 on the estimate for the middle of 1931, which increase is derived from the natural increase, or excess of births over deaths, and the balance between inward and outward migrants.

The **Natural Increase** during the third quarter of 1932 was 5,897, as compared with an average of 6,569 for the third quarters of the ten years, 1922-31.

During the third quarter of 1932, the number of **Emigrants** to places out of Europe and not within the Mediterranean Sea was 229, and the number of **Immigrants** from these places 1,455.

MARRIAGES.

The marriages registered during the quarter ended 30th September, 1932, numbered 3,478, equivalent to an annual rate of 4·7 per 1,000 of the estimated population, this rate being 0·1 below that for the corresponding quarter of 1931, and 0·1 below the average for the third quarter of the ten years, 1922-31 (See Table I). Of the total Marriages 3,223 (or 4·7 per 1,000 of the estimated number of Catholics in the population) were those of Catholics, and 255 related to all other denominations, equivalent to 4·6 per 1,000 of the population other than Catholic. The marriage rate among Catholics is 0·1 below, and that among other denominations 0·8 below, the respective averages for the third quarter of the preceding ten years.

BIRTHS.

During the quarter ended 30th September last, there were registered in the 641 Registrars Districts into which Saorstát Eireann is divided for registration purposes, 14,779 births, of which 7,670 were those of males and 7,109 of females, or 1,079 of the former to 1,000 of the latter.

The Birth rate was 19·9 per 1,000 of the estimated population, being 0·6 below the average (20·5) for the third quarter of the ten years, 1922-31 (See Table I).

The birth rate ascribed to **Urban Districts**, including the cities or boroughs, in the aggregate was 25·2 per 1,000 of the population, and to **Rural Districts**, 17·6 per 1,000, as compared with 24·3 and 17·4 respectively, in the third quarter of 1931 (See Table IV).

For the **Twelve Principal Towns**, the birth rate was 26·2 per 1,000, as against 25·3 per 1,000 in the corresponding quarter of last year.

Amongst these towns, the birth rate varied from 35·0 for Kilkenny, 28·8 for Waterford, and 28·1 for Limerick, to 17·3 for Dun Laoghaire, 21·3 for Tralee, and 21·4 for Dundalk.

DEATHS.

The number of deaths registered during the quarter was 8,882, and of these 4,581 were deaths of males and 4,301 of females. For all persons the equivalent annual rate was 11·9 per 1,000 of the estimated population, being 0·2 above the average for the third quarter of the preceding decennium, and 0·6 above the rate for the third quarter of the year 1931 (See Table I).

For the **Urban Districts** in the aggregate, the death rate during the quarter was 12·6 per 1,000 as compared with 11·5 for the third quarter of 1931, and for **Rural Districts**, 11·7 per 1,000 in comparison with 11·2 for the corresponding period of the preceding year.

The annual rate represented by deaths from all causes for the **Twelve Principal Towns** was 12·8 per 1,000, as compared with 11·4 per 1,000 in the third quarter of 1931.

In the quarter under review, the rates for these towns are hereunder given, ranging in order from the district with the lowest rate to that with the highest :—Kilkenny, 9·6; Dun Laoghaire, 10·9; Waterford, 12·3; Dublin, 12·7; Cork, 13·1; Galway, 13·2; Sligo 13·3; Dundalk, 13·7; Limerick, 14·1; Tralee, 14·1; Drogheda, 14·2; and Wexford, 16·2.

Causes of Death.

In Table II, the mortality from some of the principal causes is given for the third quarter of 1932 and for each quarter of the preceding five years, as well as the averages for each quarter of these years.

Principal Epidemic Diseases.—From this Table it will be seen that the number of deaths (438) from this group of causes is 125 above that for the third quarter of 1931, viz., 313, and 106 above the average for the third quarter of the five years, 1927-31. Every disease, except scarlet fever, shows an increase in comparison with the average for the previous five years. The increase in measles amounted to 46 per cent., in whooping-cough to 44 per cent. and in diphtheria to 38 per cent. more than the average.

The decrease in scarlet fever was 29 per cent. of the deaths in 1927-31.

Of 207 deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 157 (or 28·1 per 1,000 births) were recorded for urban areas, as against 50 (or 5·4 per 1,000 births) for rural areas. For urban areas of 10,000 population and upwards ("Twelve Principal Towns"), the mortality was 31·6 per 1,000 births, as compared with 14·2 per 1,000 for urban districts with less than 5,000 inhabitants.

Table III. shows that the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases in the Counties and Cities varied from 0·0 per 1,000 for Clare, to 1·5 for Waterford County Borough.

The death rate from these diseases in relation to the twelve principal towns in the aggregate, was 1·3 per 1,000, and the rates fluctuated between 0·4 per 1,000 for Kilkenny and 1·7 for Galway; the 47 deaths from all causes for the latter district including 2 from whooping-cough, and 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years (Table IV).

Influenza.—Deaths from influenza amounted to 130, affording an annual rate of 0·17 per 1,000, which is 0·23 below the average for the third quarter of the preceding five years 1927-31. Of the 130 deaths, 22 appertained to urban areas, representing 0·1 per 1,000 of the population, and 108 to rural districts, or 0·2 per 1,000; the corresponding rates for the third quarter of 1931 were 0·1 and 0·1.

Tuberculosis.—The number of deaths from all forms of this disease during the quarter was 853, equivalent to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with an average of 902, and a rate of 1·2 per 1,000 for the third quarter of the five years, 1927-31. As may be seen from Table III, the rates varied from 2·1 for Kildare, 1·8 for Laoighis, and 1·7 for Wexford and Cork County Borough to 0·6 for Waterford County Borough and Sligo, and 0·7 for Offaly, Tipperary N.R., and Roscommon. The rate for the aggregate city of borough areas and urban districts was 1·4 per 1,000 of the population of these areas, as compared with 1·0 for rural areas. For the twelve principal town areas the rate was 1·1 per 1,000, and for urban districts under 10,000 population it was 1·3.

Puerperal Conditions.—The number of deaths ascribed to accidents and diseases of pregnancy and childbirth, as recorded during the quarter, was 40, being equal to 2·7 per 1,000 births registered. Of the 40 deaths, 9 were due to puerperal sepsis, or 0·6 per 1,000 births, and 31, or 2·1 per 1,000 births, to other puerperal conditions. The corresponding rates for the third quarter of 1931 were 1·3 and 3·0 respectively.

Ages at Death.

Of 8,882 deaths at all ages registered during the quarter, 905 or 10·2 per cent. were those of infants under one year of age, and 3,760 or 42·3 per cent. were those of persons 65 years and upwards.

Infant Mortality.—The infant mortality was 61 per 1,000 births registered, as compared with 67, 79 and 73 respectively, for the three preceding quarters, and an average of 59 for the third quarter of the ten years preceding (Table I).

For county boroughs and urban districts in the aggregate, the rate was 83, and for rural districts 48 per 1,000 (Table III).

Deaths in Public Institutions.

Deaths in Institutions numbered 2,712, or 30·5 per cent. of all deaths registered.

Inquests.

There were 261 inquests or deaths registered on Coroners' Certificates during the quarter, this number being 2·9 per cent. of the total deaths registered.

Uncertified Deaths.

The number of deaths in cases where there was no medical attendant during the last illness (not including deaths registered on Coroners' Certificates) was 1,610, or 18·1 per cent. of the total deaths.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Notified.

Table VI gives the number of such cases notified during the quarter in urban and rural districts. The total number amounted to 1,738.

Vaccination.

As returned by the Registrars, the number of successful *primary* vaccinations during the quarter ended 30th September last was 11,716, or 79·3 to every 100 births registered during the quarter, the corresponding ratio for the third quarter of the five years 1927-31 being 103·9.

CITY OF DUBLIN.

BIRTHS.

Exclusive of 344 births in institutions relating to residents of other localities, the number of births recorded for the city of Dublin during the quarter under review was 2,877. The annual rate represented thereby was 27·7 per 1,000 of the estimated population, as compared with a rate of 26·5 for the corresponding quarter of 1931. The total births registered (3,221) comprise 1,687 boys and 1,534 girls.

DEATHS.

Omitting 199 deaths registered in the city relating to other localities, but including those of city residents registered elsewhere in Saorstát Éireann, the deaths ascribed to the city of Dublin for the quarter numbered 1,323, equivalent to an annual rate of 12.7 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with 11.3 per 1,000 for the third quarter of 1931. The total number of deaths registered in the city numbered 1,485—770 males and 715 females.

For the portion of the city north of the Liffey, the death-rate from all causes was 12.5 per 1,000, which is 1.5 above the third quarter of 1931, the corresponding rates for the south side being 12.2 and 11.2 respectively. *The mortality for these portions of the city is derived from figures partially corrected for deaths in institutions, as given in Table V., which shows the mortality for each Registrar's District, by ages and by some of the principal causes, for the quarter (thirteen weeks) ended the 1st October, 1932.*

Causes of Death.

Principal Epidemic Diseases.—The deaths from this group of causes relating to the city during the quarter numbered 147, affording an annual rate of 1.4 per 1,000, as compared with 0.8 per 1,000, for the third quarter of the preceding year.

The following statement shows for the city of Dublin the number of deaths from some of the principal causes for the third quarter of 1932, as compared with 1931:—

CAUSE OF DEATH	Third	Third
	Quarter, 1932	Quarter, 1931
Principal Epidemic Diseases		
Enteric fever	4	:
Typhus	..	..
Small-pox	..	..
Measles	3	9
Scarlet fever	3	4
Whooping-cough	28	5
Diphtheria	15	13
Diarrhoea and enteritis (children under 2 years)	94	53
Influenza	8	5
Pulmonary tuberculosis	134	116
Other forms	29	38

Increases are shown for all these diseases except measles, scarlet fever, and other forms of tuberculosis, as compared with the third quarter of last year.

The greatest increases are shown in deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis and whooping-cough, the respective numbers in the quarter under review being 41 and 23 more than in the corresponding quarter of 1931.

Influenza.—The number of deaths attributed to influenza was 8, as against 5 in the third quarter of 1931.

Tuberculosis.—The deaths from all forms of tuberculous disease recorded for the city numbered 163, representing an annual rate of 1.57 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with 1.49 for the third quarter of the preceding year.

The mortality from tuberculosis in the north side of the city was 1.57 per 1,000, and in the south, 1.39, the respective rates for the third quarter of 1931 being 1.46 and 1.40.

Of the 163 deaths, 134 were ascribed to pulmonary and 29 to other forms of the disease the former representing a rate of 1.29 per 1,000 and the latter 0.28 per 1,000.

Ages at Death.

Of the 1,323 deaths relating to the city of Dublin, as registered during the quarter, 337 (or 25.5 per cent.) were those of children under five years of age, and 348 (or 26.3 per cent.) were of persons 65 years of age or upwards, the corresponding percentages in respect of the third quarter of 1931 being 21.4 and 29.4.

The **Infant Mortality**, based on 247 deaths of infants under one year of age, was 86 per 1,000 births, as compared with 64 for the third quarter of 1931.

Deaths in Public Institutions.

The deaths of Dublin residents occurring in public institutions, as registered during the quarter, numbered 640, or 48.4 per cent. of total deaths.

Cases of Infectious Disease.

The number of cases of infectious disease notified during the quarter as shown in Table VI was 535. Table VII gives the number of cases under treatment in Dublin hospitals during the quarter.

METEOROLOGY.

The mean temperature for the thirteen weeks ended 24th September, 1932, deduced from the mean weekly temperature as returned from the Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park, Dublin, was 58.8° , and at Cork (Roche's Point) it was 60.1° ; for the thirteen weeks ended 1st October at Peamount Sanatorium it was 57.5° ; at Greenwich, 63.5° ; at Glasgow, 56.7° ; and at Edinburgh, 56.8° .

The mean daily number of hours of bright sunshine recorded at Dublin was 3.6 ; at Peamount Sanatorium, 3.1 ; at Cork (Ballinacurra), 3.7 ; at Greenwich, 4.6 ; at Glasgow 3.2 ; and at Edinburgh, 4.3 .

The rainfall during the same periods measured at Dublin 9.57 inches; at Peamount Sanatorium, 9.83 inches; at Cork (Roche's Point), 9.33 inches; at Greenwich, 7.27 inches; at Glasgow, 8.30 inches; and at Edinburgh, 4.71 inches.

The following information has been kindly furnished by the Director of the Meteorological Office, London :—

JULY.

In strong contrast with that of June, the weather of July was unsettled and wet, with comparatively few rainless days in many places. At Markree Castle, Dublin City and Cahirciveen there were only four days with less than 0.2 mm. Widespread heavy rain accompanied locally by thunder, fell on the 13th, the largest measurement being 58 mm. at Rathfarnham. Average temperature was above the normal, only slightly so in the south-west, but by as much as 2°F . at Balbriggan, County Dublin. Except in the north-west the warmest days were the 9th and 10th, when temperature rose to between 75°F . and 80°F . in the south and east, and touched 81°F . at Newcastle on the 9th. Sunshine was markedly deficient, particularly in the south-west. At Cahirciveen (Valentia Observatory) the month's total of 71 hours was the smallest July total for at least 52 years.

AUGUST.

The weather of August was mainly anticyclonic, very dull and dry. Severe local thunderstorms occurred, however, between the 11th and 13th, and on the 20th. At Broadford, Co. Clare, 24.6 mm. fell in 25 minutes on the 13th, and heavy daily falls included 52 mm. at Mountmellick and 38 mm. at Killarney on the 20th. Temperature was appreciably above the normal, particularly in the south; at Kilkenny and Killarney the monthly average showed an excess of 3.6°F . The warmest periods occurred on the 5th, 9th, 11th to 13th, and 17th to 19th, and temperature rose to 80°F . at Killarney on the 19th. Sunshine deficiency was very pronounced.

SEPTEMBER.

The weather of September was variable. The first 13 days were mild and unsettled with occasional heavy rain, the heaviest daily fall being 34 mm. at Birr Castle on the 2nd. The best weather of the month occurred from the 14th to 17th, and temperature rose to 70°F . or thereabouts in many parts. With the onset of northerly winds on the 18th there was a decided drop in temperature, and, on the whole, the remainder of the month was rather cold. The average temperature for the month was a little below the normal but locally in the south it was slightly above. The highest reading recorded was 76°F . at Waterford, on the 13th. Although the general rainfall exceeded the normal, over a large part of Southern Ireland there was a marked deficiency. At Waterford, for example, the fall was only 59 per cent. of the normal. For the third month in succession sunshine was below the average, but the deficiency was not nearly so great as in July and August.

TABLE A.—Showing the Mean Weekly Values and the Differences from their Normal Values of the METEOROLOGICAL ELEMENTS at Phoenix Park, Dublin, for the Thirteen Weeks ended September 24th, 1832.

WEEK ENDED		AIR PRESSURE			TEMPERATURE			HYGROMETER			BRIGHT SUNSHINE			RAINFALL			WIND										
		Value reduced to Mean Sea Level		Deviation from Normal		Mean of A. & B.		Deviation from Normal		Mean of A. & B.		Mean of A. & B.		Deviation from Normal		Mean Daily Amount		Deviation from Normal		Mean Daily Amount		Deviation from Normal		Rainfall Days		Mean Force Beaufort Scale 0—12)	
July	2nd, 1932	mb	—10.4	°F.	60.8	+3.4	°F.	74	°F.	60.1	+0.4	°F.	56.4	%	79	%	24	min.	5	3.5							
"	9th	... 1013.3	—1.4	68.9	54.4	61.7	+8.8	79	48	61.2	58.0	81	3.5	—2.3	21	3	—8	4	3.0								
"	16th	... 1012.0	—1.4	66.1	54.4	60.3	+2.1	76	45	59.9	57.4	85	2.6	—3.2	16	60	+45	6	2.8								
"	23rd	... 1017.9	+3.7	65.3	50.4	57.9	—1.0	67	42	56.9	53.8	81	4.6	—0.5	28	10	—4	6	3.1								
"	30th	... 1004.1	—10.1	68.0	53.7	60.9	+2.5	73	46	59.4	56.8	85	5.6	+0.4	35	47	+28	7	2.3								
Aug.	6th	... 1016.2	+2.4	68.1	53.3	60.7	+2.1	74	42	59.8	57.3	85	5.4	+0.1	35	4	—13	3	2.6								
"	13th	... 1015.7	+2.1	69.3	54.7	62.0	+3.7	72	51	61.9	59.8	87	2.5	—3.0	17	14	—5	2	2.1								
"	20th	... 1021.2	+7.7	66.7	55.3	61.0	+3.3	73	47	60.4	59.2	93	1.3	—4.2	9	14	—4	5	1.6								
"	27th	... 1023.0	+9.2	63.4	50.6	57.0	—0.3	67	46	56.7	55.1	90	5.0	—0.1	35	7	—13	3	1.8								
Sept.	3rd	... 1012.1	—2.0	65.7	51.1	58.4	+2.4	72	44	58.9	57.3	90	3.4	—1.1	24	28	+13	5	3.0								
"	10th	... 1004.6	—9.8	63.9	50.6	57.3	+2.0	66	47	56.5	54.7	89	3.8	—1.3	28	21	+9	6	2.7								
"	17th	... 1019.7	+4.9	65.1	53.6	59.3	+5.0	70	50	59.3	58.0	92	1.8	—3.0	14	15	+6	4	1.7								
"	24th	... 1011.5	—3.3	56.1	36.9	46.5	—7.1	59	32	45.7	44.5	91	3.5	—1.1	28	3	—8	2	2.0								
MEANS	...	1013.5	—0.6	65.7	51.7	58.8	+1.7	79	32	58.2	56.0	87	3.6	—1.6	24	243*	+51	58	2.5								

* Total for 13 weeks

TABLE B.—Showing the Mean Weekly Values and the differences from their Normal Values of the METEOROLOGICAL ELEMENTS at Roche's Point,
Co. Cork, for the Thirteen Weeks ended September 24th, 1932.

WEEK ENDED	AIR PRESSURE		TEMPERATURE		HYGROMETER		BRIGHT SUNSHINE*		RAINFALL		WIND		
	Mean of A. & B.	Minimum B.	Deviation from Normal	Maximum A.	Mean of Dry Bulb	Lowest	Mean Humidity	Deviation from Normal	Total Amount	Number of Days	Mean Force Scale 0—12)	Mean Force Scale 0—12)	
July 2nd, 1932	mb. 1006.3	°F. 64.7	°F. 55.7	°F. 60.2	% +1.6	% 67	% 58.2	hrs. —3.1	mm 43	6	3.2	3.2	
, 9th	— 1014.1	— 64.9	— 53.7	— 59.3	— +0.4	— 71	— 59.3	— 57.4	— 89	+7	5	3.3	
, 16th	— 1011.5	— 63.7	— 55.9	— 59.8	— +0.8	— 66	— 60.1	— 58.0	— 87	+6	5	2.7	
, 23rd	— 1018.9	— 65.4	— 55.1	— 60.3	— +0.6	— 68	— 60.7	— 56.4	— 75	+1	0	3.3	
, 30th	— 1006.9	— 64.0	— 54.7	— 59.3	— —0.1	— 65	— 59.8	— 57.2	— 85	+1	6	3.2	
Aug. 6th	— 1017.0	— 67.0	— 54.3	— 60.7	— +1.0	— 74	— 61.6	— 58.6	— 83	+0.6	30	2.9	
, 13th	— 1015.6	— 65.9	— 57.1	— 61.5	— +1.9	— 68	— 61.6	— 60.0	— 91	+1.1	28	2.4	
, 20th	— 1019.4	— 67.7	— 59.4	— 63.5	— +4.3	— 72	— 65	— 61.9	— 89	+2.6	18	2.2	
, 27th	— 1020.5	— 65.7	— 57.4	— 61.5	— +2.5	— 68	— 62.1	— 59.5	— 85	+1.3	25	2.8	
Sept. 3rd	— 1013.3	— 66.3	— 56.1	— 61.2	— +3.1	— 69	— 62.2	— 59.6	— 85	+1.0	24	3.2	
, 10th	— 1006.1	— 63.9	— 54.4	— 59.1	— +1.4	— 66	— 59.3	— 56.5	— 83	+0.5	32	2.9	
, 17th	— 1019.8	— 66.7	— 57.1	— 61.9	— +5.0	— 69	— 65	— 62.2	— 87	+1.6	24	1	
, 24th	— 1010.4	— 59.3	— 46.1	— 52.7	— —3.5	— 63	— 53.1	— 49.6	— 77	+0.7	28	4	
MEANS	— 1013.8	— 65.0	— 55.2	— 60.1	— +1.5	— 74	— 41	— 60.5	— 57.9	— 85	+1.5	25	2.9

* The sunshine values are taken from the record maintained at Ballinacarrig, eight miles N.N.E. of Roche's Point.

† Total for 13 weeks.

TABLE I.—Marriages, Births and Deaths registered in Saorstát Éireann, in the years 1922 to 1932, by quarters.

YEAR AND QUARTER	NUMBERS				RATES			Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births	
	Marriages	Births	DEATHS		Per 1,000 of Estimated Population				
			All ages	Under one year	Marriages	Births	Deaths		
Average 1922-26	14,597	61,437	43,467	4,293	4.9	20.5	14.5	70	
Year	1927 ...	13,418	60,054	43,677	4,254	4.5	20.3	14.8	
	1928 ...	13,716	59,176	41,792	4,016	4.7	20.1	14.2	
	1929 ...	13,593	58,280	42,991	4,102	4.6	19.8	14.6	
	1930 ...	13,681	58,353	41,702	3,965	4.6	19.8	14.2	
	1931 ...	13,133	57,086	42,947	3,935	4.4	19.3	14.5	
	Average 1922-31	14,048	60,014	43,044	4,174	4.7	20.2	14.5	
	Average 1922-26	4,244	15,232	12,919	1,220	5.7	20.3	17.2	
	1927 ...	3,813	14,892	13,410	1,328	5.2	20.1	18.1	
	1928 ...	3,748	14,593	12,578	1,213	5.1	19.8	17.1	
	1929 ...	3,842	14,151	13,960	1,266	4.5	19.2	19.0	
First Quarter	1930 ...	3,964	14,481	12,666	1,165	5.4	19.7	17.2	
	1931 ...	3,518	14,304	13,686	1,288	4.8	19.3	18.5	
	Average 1922-31	3,960	14,858	13,090	1,236	5.3	20.0	17.6	
	Average 1922-26	3,584	16,235	11,690	1,080	4.8	21.7	15.6	
	1927 ...	3,075	15,834	11,816	1,083	4.2	21.4	16.0	
Second Quarter	1928 ...	3,251	15,840	11,062	985	4.4	21.5	15.0	
	1929 ...	3,383	15,345	10,895	1,014	4.6	20.8	14.8	
	1930 ...	3,077	15,305	10,751	1,038	4.2	20.8	14.6	
	1931 ...	3,128	15,142	11,293	1,045	4.2	20.5	15.3	
	Average 1922-31	3,384	15,864	11,426	1,057	4.5	21.3	15.4	
Third Quarter	Average 1922-26	3,618	15,601	8,840	980	4.8	20.8	11.8	
	1927 ...	3,451	15,302	8,651	866	4.7	20.7	11.7	
	1928 ...	3,557	14,868	8,561	844	4.8	20.2	11.6	
	1929 ...	3,720	14,993	8,524	885	5.1	20.4	11.6	
	1930 ...	3,489	14,862	8,435	777	4.7	20.2	11.5	
Fourth Quarter	1931 ...	3,579	14,410	8,364	714	4.8	19.5	11.3	
	Average 1922-31	3,589	15,244	8,673	898	4.8	20.5	11.7	
	Average 1922-26	3,151	14,369	10,018	1,013	4.2	19.2	13.4	
	1927 ...	3,070	14,026	9,800	977	4.2	19.0	13.8	
	1928 ...	3,160	13,875	9,591	974	4.3	18.8	13.0	
Fourth Quarter	1929 ...	3,148	13,791	9,612	937	4.3	18.7	13.1	
	1930 ...	3,101	13,705	9,850	985	4.2	18.6	13.4	
	1931 ...	2,908	13,230	9,604	888	3.9	17.9	13.0	
	Average 1922-31	3,115	14,048	9,855	983	4.2	18.9	13.3	
	1932 ...	3,183	13,596	13,189	1,078	4.3	18.3	17.7	
1st Quarter,	" ...	3,181	14,758	11,242	1,070	4.3	19.8	15.1	
2nd " "	" ...	3,478	14,779	8,882	905	4.7	19.9	11.9	
3rd " "	" ...							61	
4th " "	" ...								

TABLE II.—Deaths from some of the principal causes registered in Saorstát Éireann during each of the years 1927-32 by quarterly periods, with the rates represented thereby.

YEAR AND QUARTER	DEATHS FROM												DEATH-RATES							
	Principal Epidemic Diseases.						Tuberculosis						Per 1,000 Births							
	Small-pox	Typhus	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Total	Influenza	All Forms	Pulmonary	Tuberculosis	All Forms	Influenza	Pneumonia	Cancer	Pneumothorax	Other Pneumonias	Pneumoperitonea		
Year	1927	11	81	448	218	13	1,537	2,039	4,301	3,409	3,113	77	194	0.52	0.71	1.45	1.15	1.05		
	1928	7	360	279	225	8	1,630	838	4,047	3,189	3,190	103	189	0.55	0.29	1.37	1.08	1.19		
	1929	4	129	393	304	9	1,561	1,639	3,875	3,016	3,116	80	159	0.53	0.56	1.32	1.02	1.06		
	1930	11	372	411	352	4	1,505	492	1,614	3,294	3,204	81	197	0.51	0.21	1.30	1.01	1.13		
	1931	-	-	-	-	-	1,518	533	1,472	3,902	3,051	66	186	0.51	0.50	1.32	1.03	1.16		
	Average, 1927-31	84	3	-	243	67	290	7	529	1,340	1,340	81	184	0.52	0.45	1.35	1.06	1.09		
First Quarter	1927	28	1	-	69	22	212	66	5	511	912	943	826	-	-	0.69	1.23	1.28		
	1928	33	4	-	188	25	77	81	7	517	331	1,147	883	817	-	-	1.35	1.50	1.11	
	1929	25	4	-	40	15	106	93	7	397	921	1,060	849	788	-	-	0.54	1.25	1.07	
	1930	14	18	-	33	14	125	100	100	413	245	1,068	814	887	16	53	1.45	1.11	1.20	
	1931	-	-	-	184	23	46	80	-	492	762	1,074	858	854	14	49	0.67	1.03	1.16	
	Average, 1st Qr., 1927-31	24	1	-	103	20	113	84	2	466	634	1,104	869	834	-	-	0.63	0.86	1.50	
Second Quarter	1927	30	5	-	30	19	134	42	4	92	356	831	1,256	998	742	-	-	0.48	1.12	
	1928	25	3	-	110	23	90	55	3	403	314	1,134	778	778	-	-	0.55	1.22	1.00	
	1929	27	2	-	84	21	98	70	2	363	495	1,102	853	770	-	-	0.50	0.67	1.05	
	1930	12	3	-	21	10	100	86	-	103	335	202	852	820	21	47	0.45	1.27	1.07	
	1931	-	15	4	-	108	15	37	66	-	353	497	1,083	912	780	20	43	0.48	0.67	1.07
	Average, 2nd Qr., 1927-31	22	4	-	63	17	92	64	2	363	488	1,153	903	780	-	-	0.49	0.63	1.56	
Third Quarter	1927	11	3	-	14	15	50	37	1	148	279	175	1,014	798	763	-	-	0.38	0.24	
	1928	26	1	-	39	12	60	31	1	189	357	83	912	739	763	-	-	0.48	1.24	
	1929	16	1	-	20	18	97	58	1	127	399	105	873	645	711	-	-	0.34	0.88	
	1930	22	1	-	15	7	69	71	1	142	313	71	868	669	813	28	41	0.42	1.00	
	1931	-	16	3	-	30	17	33	69	3	142	313	83	842	655	760	18	43	0.42	1.14
	Average, 3rd Qr., 1927-31	18	2	-	24	14	62	53	1	158	332	103	902	701	762	-	-	0.45	0.40	
Fourth Quarter	1927	29	2	-	62	25	52	73	3	145	301	181	857	670	782	-	-	0.53	0.24	
	1928	10	1	-	32	19	52	58	4	177	353	130	854	668	832	-	-	0.48	1.16	
	1929	22	1	-	31	8	92	83	-	166	400	138	847	652	809	16	54	0.40	1.14	
	1930	19	4	-	89	10	58	129	1	136	444	96	806	626	801	14	45	0.49	1.08	
	1931	-	-	-	50	19	23	102	1	142	360	130	797	626	-	-	0.53	0.18	1.13	
	Average, 4th Qr., 1927-31	20	1	-	53	16	55	89	2	153	329	135	831	649	832	-	-	0.53	0.18	
1st Quarter, 1932	1927	13	2	-	104	25	61	113	1	100	419	821	1,062	847	847	20	45	0.56	1.12	
	1928	13	2	-	69	24	81	101	-	100	110	100	1,082	846	846	22	42	0.54	0.63	
	1929	22	1	-	10	89	73	217	-	100	110	100	1,082	846	846	9	31	0.59	0.17	
	1930	-	35	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.06	1.06	0.61	
	1931	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.98	0.98	0.70	

MORTALITY BY COUNTIES, &c.

TABLE III.—Showing for Counties, etc., the DEATH RATES from all Causes, and from some of the Principal Causes, per 1,000 of the population, with the mortality per 1,000 births represented by deaths of infants and deaths from puerperal conditions, during the quarter ended 30th September, 1932.

(See Note on Second Page).

Counties and County Boroughs by Provinces with Urban and Rural Groupings	DEATH RATES PER 1,000 POPULATION FROM					Deaths of Infants under one year per 1,000 Births †	DEATHS FROM PUEPERAL CONDITIONS				
	All Causes	Principal Epidemic Diseases*	Tuberculosis		Influenza		Total		Puerperal Sepsis		
			All Forms	Pulmonary			Number	Rate per 1,000 Births ‡	Number	Rate per 1,000 Births ‡	
SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN†	11.9	0.6	1.1	0.9	0.2	61	40	2.7	9	0.6	
Carlow County ...	13.5	0.7	1.0	0.8	0.1	52	1	5.7	.	.	
Dublin ...	11.6	0.7	1.3	1.0	0.1	73	.	.	.	.
City of Dublin†	12.7	1.4	1.6	1.3	0.1	86	2	7.0	1	3.5	
Kildare County ...	12.2	0.3	2.1	1.4	0.1	52	1	3.1	.	.	
Kilkenny ...	11.7	0.5	1.1	0.8	0.3	63	.	.	.	.
Laoighis ...	14.4	0.4	1.8	1.0	0.2	89	.	.	.	.
Longford ...	9.5	0.2	0.8	0.5	0.2	39	.	.	.	.
Louth ...	13.3	0.4	1.0	1.0	0.3	60	2	6.0	.	.	
Meath ...	12.6	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.1	85	1	3.7	1	3.7	
Offaly ...	10.3	0.2	0.7	0.2	0.2	39	1	3.9	1	3.9	
Westmeath ...	13.1	0.1	1.5	1.2	0.2	72	.	.	.	.
Wexford ...	13.6	0.2	1.7	1.4	0.3	42	3	6.3	.	.	
Wicklow ...	12.8	0.5	1.4	1.0	0.1	53	.	.	.	.
LEINSTER ...	12.7	0.8	1.4	1.1	0.1	70	11	1.7	3	0.5	
Clare County ...	10.3	0.0	0.8	0.7	0.1	48	.	.	.	.
Cork ...	11.9	0.5	1.1	0.8	0.1	53	5	4.0	1	0.8	
Cork Co. Borough ...	13.1	1.2	1.7	1.3	.	83	2	4.7	.	.	
Kerry County ...	11.3	0.3	1.1	0.9	0.5	69	1	1.6	.	.	
Limerick ...	11.1	0.4	1.2	0.8	0.2	64	2	3.6	.	.	
Limerick Co. Borough ...	14.1	1.4	1.0	0.7	.	90	1	3.6	.	.	
Tipperary County N.R.	11.9	0.2	0.7	0.5	0.1	48	.	.	.	.
Tipperary County S.R.	11.7	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.0	74	1	2.6	.	.	
Waterford County ...	12.9	0.3	1.0	0.5	0.2	40	2	8.9	.	.	
Waterford Co. Borough	12.3	1.5	0.6	0.5	0.3	99	1	5.2	1	5.2	
MUNSTER ...	11.8	0.5	1.1	0.8	0.2	64	15	3.2	2	0.4	
Galway County ...	10.8	0.5	1.0	0.8	0.3	37	2	2.3	.	.	
Leitrim ...	12.9	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.1	39	.	.	.	.
Mayo ...	10.6	0.3	1.0	0.8	0.1	44	1	1.4	1	1.4	
Roscommon ...	10.5	0.1	0.7	0.6	0.2	31	3	10.2	1	3.4	
Sligo ...	12.0	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.4	69	1	3.6	.	.	
CONNAUGHT ...	11.1	0.4	0.9	0.7	0.2	42	7	3.0	2	0.9	
Cavan County ...	11.5	0.2	0.8	0.7	0.1	38	4	11.7	1	2.9	
Donegal ...	11.1	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.3	49	3	4.9	1	1.6	
Monaghan ...	12.0	0.6	0.9	0.7	0.2	38	.	.	.	.
ULSTER (part of)	11.4	0.4	0.8	0.7	0.3	43	7	5.6	2	1.6	
<i>Twelve Principal Towns</i>	12.8	1.3	1.4	1.1	0.1	87	8	1.8	2	0.4	
<i>Urban Districts under 10,000 Population ...</i>	12.0	0.5	1.3	1.0	0.1	66	1	0.9	.	.	
<i>Aggregate Co. Boroughs and Urban Districts</i>	12.6	1.1	1.4	1.1	0.1	83	9	1.6	2	0.4	
<i>Aggregate Rural Districts ...</i>	11.7	0.4	1.0	0.8	0.2	48	31	3.4	7	0.8	

* Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery and diarrhoeal diseases.

† The rates for Saorstát Éireann and the City of Dublin are calculated on the estimated population in the middle of 1932; those for the other areas on the population according to the Census of 1926.

‡ The rates for the administrative counties of Dublin, Cork, Limerick and Waterford are based on the births registered therein plus a proportion (derived from the record of transfers for 1930) of the births registered in the respective county boroughs relating to other localities.

URBAN DISTRICTS.

TABLE IV.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the Quarter ended 30th September, 1932, relating to Urban Districts (including County Boroughs) and the number of deaths from some of the principal causes (see Note on second page); also particulars of BIRTHS and DEATHS (exclusive of those occurring in public Institutions belonging to the Local Authorities).

PROVINCES AND URBAN DISTRICTS		CENSUS STATISTICS OF DISTRICTS IN 1926		BIRTHS		Annual Rate per 1,000 persons represented by		BIRTHS		Total Number		At 65 years and up - wards		Under 1 year of Age		From all Causes		From principal Diseases		From principal Diseases		Principal Epidemic Diseases		Caused by		Tuberculosis		Other Forms		Causes of Death		In Public Institutions		No. Unmetalled	
DUBLIN	1,000,000	2,971,992	0.2	19.9	11.9	0.6	14,779	8,882	905	3,760	22	2	*	35	10	89	73	*	207	130	658	195	785	235	261	2,712	1610	1,493	1,530						
Total Rural Districts	2,095,315	0.1	17.6	11.7	0.4	9,189	6,077	441	2,952	15	2	*	29	7	46	43	*	50	108	417	125	530	157	163	1,121	80	1,493	1,530							
Total Urban Districts	876,677	8.4	25.2	12.6	1.1	5,580	2,805	464	808	7	*	*	6	3	43	30	*	157	22	241	70	255	78	92	1,219	80	1,493	1,530							
Total 12 Principal Towns	669,656	15.7	26.2	12.8	1.3	4,460	2,186	389	600	5	*	*	6	3	38	28	*	141	15	191	52	188	57	73	982	40	1,493	1,530							
Dublin City*	405,126	21.6	27.7	12.7	1.4	2,877	1,323	247	348	4	*	*	3	3	28	15	*	94	8	134	20	118	30	34	640	34	1,493	1,530							
Dun Laoghaire Boro.**	35,111	8.4	17.3	10.9	0.7	1,514	977	10	48	*	*	*	3	3	3	3	*	17	17	1	1	26	9	22	5	8	2	124	5	1,493	1,530				
Cork Co. Borough	78,490	2.9	21.6	13.1	0.6	4,247	2,585	35	75	1	*	*	1	1	1	1	*	1	1	1	1	8	8	8	27	8	27	8	1,493	1,530					
Limerick	39,448	16.5	28.1	14.1	1.4	2,177	1,397	25	34	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	*	1	1	1	1	4	7	2	20	2	20	2	1,493	1,530					
Waterford	26,647	18.5	28.8	12.8	1.5	1,022	1,922	19	21	*	*	*	2	1	1	1	*	1	1	1	1	3	1	3	19	19	19	19	1,493	1,530					
Galway Urban District	14,227	2.7	25.9	13.2	1.7	1,202	1,472	14	13	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	*	1	1	1	1	3	1	3	18	18	18	18	1,493	1,530					
Dundalk	13,996	9.8	21.4	13.7	0.6	753	48	16	*	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	*	1	1	1	1	3	1	3	1	6	1	6	1,493	1,530					
Drogheda	12,716	8.6	27.1	14.2	0.6	86	45	7	10	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	*	1	1	1	1	3	1	3	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530					
Wexford	11,879	25.2	23.6	16.2	0.7	70	48	6	13	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	*	1	1	1	1	3	1	3	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530					
Sligo	11,437	3.9	24.1	13.3	1.4	69	38	10	11	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	*	1	1	1	1	3	1	3	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530					
Tralee	10,538	17.8	21.3	14.1	1.1	56	37	9	5	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	*	1	1	1	1	3	1	3	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530					
Kilkenny	10,446	10.9	35.0	9.6	0.4	88	24	4	6	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	*	1	1	1	1	3	1	3	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530					
Total Urban Districts under 10,000 Population	207,021	3.4	21.8	12.0	0.5	1,130	619	75	208	2	*	*	5	2	*	*	*	16	7	50	18	67	21	19	237	40	1,493	1,530							
LEINSTER																																			
An Uachtarán	...	3,652	8.3	30.7	14.2	3.3	28	13	4	2	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530			
Ardlough	...	4,533	2.9	17.6	13.2	0.9	28	15	1	6	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530			
Athlone	...	5,540	6.1	20.7	9.6	1.2	30	18	4	3	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530			
Athly	...	3,460	3.6	25.4	18.9	1.2	22	12	1	6	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530			
Birr	...	3,402	2.4	15.3	15.3	1.2	13	13	1	4	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530			
Bray	...	8,637	8.2	24.5	11.1	0.9	53	24	4	7	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530			
Carlow	...	2,193	12.2	19.0	14.6	0.7	34	26	1	4	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530			
Ceannannus Mór	...	5,543	22.9	39.7	15.2	0.7	55	21	4	4	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530			
Enniscorthy	...	1,269	0.6	12.6	9.5	0.4	33	13	1	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530			
Granard	...	4,029	1.4	6.0	11.9	1.0	6	1	1	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530			
Howth	...	1,000	0.6	16.5	11.9	0.6	33	16	1	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,493	1,530			

The rates for Soorstat, Fircann the City of Dublin and the Borough of Dun Laoghaire are calculated on the estimated populations in the middle of 1932.

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Imperial Information Bureau for Belfast and London duty relates to the Census population of 1926, including all deaths registered in Coroners' certificates.

TABLE V.—Showing for the Quarter (18 weeks) ended 1st October, 1932, the mortality from All Causes and from some of the Principal Causes of residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the CITIES of DUBLIN AND CORK,* also the Deaths at certain within their boundaries, as well as in institutions situated in other towns 10,000 inhabitants or over.

Note: Correction is made for deaths of DUBLIN and CORK CITY residents occurring outside their respective boundaries. Deaths occurring in the rural portions of the REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS of BLACKBURN No. 2, BIRCHARDSTOWN, CASTLENOOK, COOLOCK and DRUMCONDRA, FINGLAS and GLASNEVIN, and in the upwards, in the rural portions of the REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS of CORK RURAL No. 1 and No. 2. The figures given in this table being summaries of the Weekly Returns are not therefore comparable with those shown in TABLE IV.—
See Note on second page.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS OF WORK
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CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

TABLE VI.—Summary of cases of Infectious Disease notified to the Department of Local Government and Public Health in respect of Saorstát Éireann for the Quarter ended 30th September, 1932.

County Boroughs				Ty-phus	Enteric	Diphtheria	Scarlatina	Other Diseases
Cork		1	15	22	Encephalitis Lethargica 1 Primary and Influenza 1 Pneumonia 4 Erysipelas 2 Puerperal Fever 1 Primary Pneumonia 1
Dublin		32	208	234	Puerperal Fever 1 Primary and Influenza 1 Pneumonia 35 Erysipelas 22 Ophthalmia Neonatorum 1 Cerebro Spinal Meningitis 1 Continued Fever 1
Limerick			89	55	Primary Pneumonia 3 Pneumonia 1 Erysipelas 1
Waterford			3	47	Erysipelas 3

County	Urban	Rural	Ty-phus	Enteric	Diphtheria	Scarlatina	Other Diseases
Carlow	Carlow	Carlow			4	3	Pneumonia 1
Cavan	Belturbet	Ballyleborough			2	4	
	Cavan	Castlerahan		1		1	
	Cootehill	Cavan		6	2	2	Puerperal Sepsis 1 Puerperal Sepsis 2
						7	
Clare	Ennis	Ennis			1	1	Cerebro Spinal Meningitis 1
		Killadysert				9	
		Kilrush				10	
		Scariff				1	
		Tulla					

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—contd.

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Enteric	Diphtheria	Scarlatina	Other Diseases
Cork							
	Clonakilty ...					1	
	Cobh ...				1	1	
	Macroom ...				1	1	
	Mallow ...				3	5	
	Passage West ...					2	Erysipelas 1
	Youghal ...					2	Erysipelas 1
		Bandon ...				10	Puerperal Sepsis 1
		Bantry ...		1			Puerperal Cellulitis 1
		Castletown ...		4			
		Charleville ...				5	Acute Meningitis 1
		Clonakilty ...				2	Lobar Pneumonia 1
		Cork ...			10	8	Erysipelas 1
		Dunmanway ...			1	6	Pneumonia 1
		Fermoy ...			6		
		Kanturk ...		1	2	1	
		Kinsale ...			2	2	
		Macroom ...			1	4	
		Mallow ...			11	6	
		Midleton ...		1		1	
		Millstreet ...			2	30	
		Mitchelstown No. 1 ...				5	Acute Anterior Poliomyelitis 2
		Skibbereen ...				2	
		Skull ...	1				
Donegal	... Buncrana ...						Puerperal Fever 1
		Ballyshannon ...					
		Donegal ...			1	8	
		Dunfanaghy ...		1			
		Inishowen ...			4	2	Erysipelas 1
		Letterkenny ...		1			
		Milford ...				1	
		Stranorlar ...		1	1	3	
Dublin	... Dun Laoghaire ...				4	6	
		Howth ...			4		Erysipelas 1
		Balrothery ...			4	1	
		Celbridge No. 2 ...				5	
		Dublin North ...		1	2	2	Pneumonia 1
		Dublin South ...		1	7	5	Facial Erysipelas 1
		Rathdown No. 1 ...			1	9	Puerperal Fever 2
							Cerebro Spinal Meningitis 1
							Para-Typhoid 1
Galway	... Ballinasloe ...						
		Galway ...					
		Ballinasloe No. 1 ...			1	20	
		Clifden ...			5	5	
		Galway ...		1		7	Erysipelas 2
		Gort ...				1	Cerebro Spinal Meningitis 1
		Loughrea ...				1	Puerperal Fever 1
		Mountbellew ...		2	4	3	
		Oughterard ...		3	1		Puerperal Fever 1
		Tuam ...				10	Pneumonia 1
						6	Lobar Pneumonia 1
Kerry	... Killarney ...						
		Listowel ...			2	2	
		Tralee ...				1	
		Cahirciveen ...				1	
		Dingle ...		1	4	6	
		Kenmare ...				1	
		Killarney ...			4	1	
		Listowel ...				9	
		Tralee ...		1	2	4	
Kildare	... Naas ...						
		Athy No. 1 ...				5	Erysipelas 2
		Naas No. 1 ...				6	Primary Pneumonia 1
						24	
Kilkenny	... Kilkenny						
		Castlecomer ...		1	4	12	
		Kilkenny ...			6	7	
		Thomastown ...				17a	a One case of mixed infection
		Waterford No. 2.		2		3	Diphtheria and Scarlatina

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—contd.

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Enteric	Diphtheria	Scarlatina	Other Diseases
Laoighis	...	Mountmellick			2a	4	a Case of mixed infection Diphtheria and Scarlatina.
		Slievemargy ...				2	
Leitrim	...	Carrick-on-Shannon No. 1		1			
		Manorhamilton	15		9		
Limerick	...	Mohill ...	1				
		Croom ...			2	9	
Limerick	...	Kilmallock ...			3		Puerperal Sepsis 2 Pneumonia 2 Erysipelas 1
		Limerick No. 1			6	10	
Limerick	...	Mitchelstown No. 2 ...					Pneumonia 1 Influenza Pneumonia 1
		Newcastle ...			5		
Longford	Longford	Rathkeale ...				17	Pneumonia 3 Erysipelas 1 Primary Pneumonia 1
		Tipperary No. 2			1	23	
Longford	...	Ballymahon ...		2	2	2	
		Granard No. 1 ...				2	
Louth	Drogheda	Longford ...			8	1	
		Dundalk ...		2	3	2	
Mayo	Ballina	Louth ...			2	1	Continued Fever 3 Puerperal Sepsis 1 Erysipelas 1
		Ballina ...				1	
Mayo	Castlebar	Ballinrobe ...			1	3	Puerperal Sepsis 1
		Belmullet ...			1		
Meath	An Uaimh	Castlebar ...		2	1a	2	a Mixed infection with Scarlatina
		Claremorris ...				2	
Meath	Trim	Swinford ...				2	
		An Uaimh ...	14		1		
Monaghan	Carrickmacross	Trim ...		1			
		Clones ...		1		2	
Monaghan	Monaghan	Monaghan ...		3	1	2	Puerperal Sepsis 1 Lobar Pneumonia 3
		Carrickmacross		2	1	2	
Offaly	Birr	Castleblayney ...			6	2	Puerperal Sepsis 1
		Clones No. 1 ...				1	
Offaly	Tullamore	Monaghan ...			5		
		Birr No. 1 ...			1	1	
Roscommon		Edenderry No. 1 ...			2	3	
		Roscrea No. 2 ...				1	
Sligo	Sligo	Tullamore ...			3	1	
		Athlone No. 2 ...	1		1		
Sligo	Sligo	Boyle No. 1 ...	1		3		Puerperal Fever 1
		Carrick-on-Shannon No. 2 ...			1		
Sligo	Sligo	Castlerea ...			7	1	Primary Pneumonia 1
		Roscommon ...				1	
Tipperary N.R.	Nenagh	Sligo ...			1		
		Nenagh ...			9	1	

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—contd.

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Enteric	Diphtheria	Scarlatina	Other Diseases
Tipperary, S.R.		Clogheen ... Clonmel No. 1 Tipperary No. 1		1	4	1	
Waterford ...		Dungarvan ... Kilmacthomas Lismore ...			3	2	Paratyphoid 2 Paratyphoid B. 1 Erysipelas 1
Westmeath	Athlone	Youghal No. 2					
		Athlone No. 1 Delvin ... Mullingar ...			2 2 5	2 3 3	
Wexford ...	Enniscorthy Wexford ...	Enniscorthy ... Wexford ...		1 3	1	11 1	
Wicklow ...	Bray	Baltinglass No. 1 Rathdown No. 2 Rathdrum ...			3 3 1	5 1 3	
TOTALS: —		County Boroughs Urban Districts Rural Districts	...	• 2 2	33 27 79	315 59 272	358 88 361
Total for all Districts		...	2	139	646	807	144

TABLE VII.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the QUARTER (13 weeks) ENDED SATURDAY, 1st October, 1932.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous quarter	Admitted during quarter	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment on above date
Enteric Fever ...	3	38	12	4	25
Typhus ...	•	1	•	1	•
Small-pox ...	•	•	•	•	•
Measles ...	7	21	15	1	12
Scarlet Fever ...	117	270	233	4	150*
Diphtheria ...	62	216	188	16	74
Pneumonia ...	29	70	65	11	23

*Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

Marriages, Births, Deaths and Vaccinations, Third Quarter, 1932

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PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.	Area in Statute Acres	Population Census 1926.	Numbers Registered		The Deaths Registered during the Quarter include																		
					Deaths of Infants under 1 year		Deaths of Persons 65 years and upwards		Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases		Tubercu-		Deaths from Other Forms of Disease										
			Births.	Mari-ages	905	3,760	22	2	35	10	89	73	*	207	180	658	195	235	261	2,712	1,610	11,716	
Saorstat Eireann(b)	17,024,481	2,971,992	3,478	14,779	8,882	36	174	9	56	116	1	3	2	14	3	34	15	34	15	66	318	1,331	
Carlow	221,485	34,446	36	174	9	116	1	3	1	5	2	1	2	14	3	34	15	34	15	66	318	1,331	
Dublin	208,751	100,158	174	1,221	1,323	32	116	8	32	116	1	10	8	30	11	14	95	640	10	1,331	1,331	1,331	
Kildare	18,751	40,126	881	3,221	247	348	4	3	3	3	15	2	2	1	1	2	14	3	34	15	66	318	1,331
Louth	4,18,644	58,028	76	157	66	17	66	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Kilkenny	30,03,470	70,990	57	333	207	21	67	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Wexford	424,882	51,540	46	247	22	76	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Longford	25,67,540	39,847	25	154	95	6	49	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Meath	202,814	62,739	94	331	209	20	81	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Offaly	492,937	62,969	67	250	190	23	89	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Westmeath	433,804	56,818	4	219	136	10	79	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Wicklow	500,244	57,591	61	244	184	13	66	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
LEINSTER	4,851,136	1,149,092	1,737	6,569	3,634	458	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Clare	787,768	95,064	67	314	244	15	134	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cork	1,840,905	287,537	250	1,150	859	67	362	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Borought	1,616,785	78,490	240	550	35	44	183	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Limerick	1,61,753	149,171	89	511	72	35	125	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Limerick Co., Boro.	2,386	39,448	77	321	139	25	34	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Tipperary N.R.	493,750	59,645	65	363	177	17	71	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Tipperary S.R.	558,034	81,370	89	381	239	28	9	84	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Waterford Co., Boro.	453,051	51,915	49	210	168	9	84	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Waterford	1,438	26,647	33	207	82	19	21	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
MUNSTER	5,962,803	969,902	1,031	4,626	2,886	294	1,196	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Galway	1,467,639	169,366	130	803	457	32	247	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Leitrim	3,76,774	45,907	45	203	180	8	98	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Mayo	1,333,941	172,690	114	703	457	31	240	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Roscommon	608,540	82,556	66	294	210	9	125	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Sligo	443,928	71,388	71	275	19	108	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
CONNAUGHT	4,230,822	552,907	426	2,388	1,528	99	818	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Gavan	467,162	82,452	78	343	237	13	110	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Donegal	1,193,573	162,503	144	616	422	30	227	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Monaghan	318,985	65,131	62	287	195	11	98	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
ULSTER (part of)	1,979,720	300,091	284	1,246	854	54	435	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
NORTHERN IRELAND(c)	3,351,444	1,256,561	1,530	6,457	3,718	425	1,498	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

(a) Including accidental deaths, homicides, and suicides. (b) The returns for Balbriggan District in Balbriggan, Superintendent Registrar's District, Coolattin and Tinhale Districts in Sligo, and Ballymote and Ballina Districts in Donegal. (c) Not having been received in time for Press, the number of Births and Deaths registered in the corresponding quarter of 1931 have been adopted. (d) For Northern Ireland, the Returns relate to the quarter ended 30th June, 1931.

(a) Similar particulars for the whole of NORTHERN IRELAND. (Deaths in Institutions are assigned to the districts in which the deceased normally resided.— See Note on Second page.)

(b) The returns for Balbriggan District in Balbriggan, Superintendent Registrar's S.R.D., not having been received in time for Press, the number of Births and Deaths registered in the corresponding quarter of 1931 have been adopted. (c) For Northern Ireland, the Returns relate to the quarter ended 30th June, 1931.

(d) The returns for Sligo, Coolattin and Tinhale Districts in Sligo, and Ballymote and Ballina Districts in Donegal. (e) The Returns for Northern Ireland, the Returns relate to the quarter ended 30th June, 1931.

TABLE IX.—MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS, &c.—Third Quarter, 1932. SUPERINTENDENT REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS ARRANGED BY PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.

SUPERINTENDENT REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.	Area in Statute Acres.	Population Census 1926.	Deaths.*	Births.	Numbers Registered	The Deaths Registered during the Quarter include														
						Deaths of Infants under 1 year	Deaths from Persons 65 years and upwards	Deaths from Epidemic Diseases	Deaths from Principal Diseases	Tuberculosis	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Other Forms	Cancer	Violence	Inquests in Public	Deaths from Directly Related Deaths	No. of successful marriages			
I. PROVINCE OF LEINSTER																				
1. Carlow, ...	221,485	34,476	36	174	116	9	56	*	1	3	*	2	1	7	2	14	3	34	15	66
2. Dublin, ...	84,405	19,336	19	61	60	4	22	*	2	1	*	3	1	6	7	6	18	1	69	1
3. Balrothery, ...	97,566	31,058	43	78	94	14	30	*	1	1	*	4	1	11	9	9	29	2	64	2
4. Rathdown, ...	26,949	30,134	112	148	138	14	63	*	3	1	*	3	1	12	2	5	48	2	85	2
CITY OF DUBLIN																				
5. Dublin, part of	18,781	40,5,126	881	3,221	1,823	247	348	4	3	28	15	*	94	8	134	29	118	30	34	640
6. Athy, ...	120,460	16,690	31	104	47	5	16	*	1	1	*	1	1	*	5	2	10	2	3	17
7. Celbridge, ...	53,703	8,116	33	30	37	4	15	*	1	1	*	1	1	*	3	2	10	1	29	2
8. Nass, ...	234,481	33,222	40	190	93	8	35	*	1	1	*	1	1	*	4	10	2	1	5	30
KILDARE.																				
9. Kilkenny, ...	62,169	7,370	7	26	28	3	16	*	1	1	*	1	1	*	1	*	1	1	6	2
10. Callan, ...	57,867	8,745	11	30	21	2	7	*	1	1	*	1	1	*	3	2	1	7	3	30
11. Cashel, ...	133,462	23,569	19	140	66	8	27	*	1	1	*	1	1	*	4	2	1	2	1	41
12. Thomastown, ...	226,444	27,009	17	121	84	8	43	*	1	1	*	1	1	*	5	1	1	1	1	63
13. Utingford, ...	30,328	3,397	3	16	8	*	4	*	1	1	*	1	1	*	1	1	1	1	1	93
WICKLOW.																				
14. Laragh, ...	200,641	22,199	24	104	89	11	38	*	1	1	*	1	1	*	1	9	3	2	2	20
15. Mountmellick, ...	224,251	29,341	22	143	96	11	38	*	1	1	*	1	1	*	7	8	2	3	3	69
MOUNTAINSHIRE.																				
16. Longford, ...	69,834	7,796	4	37	23	1	11	*	1	1	*	2	1	*	1	1	1	1	4	18
17. Ballymalton, ...	84,678	13,335	6	38	33	1	17	*	1	1	*	2	1	*	5	1	1	1	4	25
18. Longford, ...	103,420	18,716	16	79	39	4	21	*	1	1	*	1	1	*	2	1	2	1	1	50
LOUTH.																				
19. Ardee, ...	67,239	11,030	10	60	37	6	11	*	1	1	*	3	1	*	3	1	3	1	1	43
20. Drogheda, ...	41,973	18,278	47	110	67	9	24	*	1	1	*	2	1	*	10	3	1	1	1	58
21. Dundalk, ...	93,596	33,431	30	161	105	5	46	*	1	1	*	3	1	*	1	2	1	2	1	57
MEATH.																				
22. Dunshaughlin, ...	106,757	7,776	16	26	28	1	15	*	1	1	*	2	1	*	4	2	2	1	1	10
23. Kells, ...	103,420	13,108	11	58	43	3	17	*	1	1	*	4	1	*	1	1	1	1	1	40
24. Navan, ...	182,153	22,708	15	82	60	6	25	*	1	1	*	6	2	*	1	1	1	1	1	20
25. Oldcastle, ...	44,039	4,876	5	25	1	2	12	*	1	1	*	1	1	*	4	2	1	1	1	5
26. Trim, ...	141,387	14,501	20	80	49	11	1	*	1	1	*	4	1	*	1	1	1	1	1	5

OFFALY	27. Birr	248,866	24,401	17	17	17	120
	28. Edenderry	81,156	6,728	6	2	2	18
	29. Tullamore	163,615	21,463	22	1	1	96
WESTMEATH	30. Athlone	98,984	19,004	21	76	62	60
	31. Dervin	110,986	10,342	4	39	32	11
	32. Mullingar	225,634	27,472	40	134	92	23
WEXFORD	33. Enniscorthy	193,384	29,878	32	173	92	11
	34. Gorey	130,103	14,358	12	75	40	27
	35. New Ross	124,387	20,141	27	73	24	12
	36. Wexford	133,010	31,471	39	145	10	15
WICKLOW	37. Baltinglass	154,966	10,398	9	27	35	41
	38. Rathdrum	262,200	39,394	46	183	124	38
	39. Shillelagh	83,078	7,804	6	34	25	7
II. PROVINCE OF MUNSTER.	40. Ballyvaughan	71,629	3,495	1	11	6	4
	41. Corofin	61,881	4,109	1	8	9	12
	42. Ennis	113,324	18,732	30	89	55	10
	43. Ennistymon	99,600	15,137	8	48	28	32
	44. Killaloyse	62,615	7,415	3	12	11	9
	45. Kiladysert	131,307	22,642	9	92	65	64
	46. Scariff	241,712	53,334	15	58	36	88
CORK.	47. Bandor	101,482	15,233	17	81	37	4
	48. Bantry	107,277	11,322	19	35	37	51
	49. Castletown	74,296	9,362	4	30	27	11
	50. Clonakilty	80,394	15,695	12	67	69	62
	51. Cork (part of)	167,341	56,090	54	281	18	104
	52. Dunmanway	103,920	11,377	5	30	17	17
	53. Fermoy	196,733	22,785	1	79	87	57
	54. Kanturk	185,659	21,424	16	97	62	55
	55. Kinsale	80,394	12,659	14	46	40	56
	56. Macroom	179,153	19,080	23	71	56	58
	57. Mallon	169,102	24,468	31	100	44	70
	58. Middleton	109,380	17,882	19	58	49	5
	59. Millstreet	74,939	9,585	1	28	18	43
	60. Skibbereen	115,371	20,656	15	79	47	83
	61. Skinnakill	57,659	7,060	4	21	15	19
	62. Youghal	36,960	9,181	6	32	34	66
CORK COUNTY BOROUGH.	63. Cork (part of)	2,685	78,490	240	540	35	465
KERRY.	64. Caherciveen	198,101	18,224	6	51	52	91
	65. Dingle	126,454	15,855	15	57	40	140
	66. Kenmare	198,416	11,432	5	51	39	37
	67. Killarney	251,430	33,257	38	141	106	34
	68. Listowel	163,500	29,552	8	137	79	26
	69. Tralee	221,807	40,851	17	202	16	173

*Deaths in each S. R. D. corrected for those occurring in Institutions.

TABLE IX.—MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS, &c.—Third Quarter, 1932.—*continued.*

The Deaths Registered during the Quarter include

The Deaths Registered during the Quarter include									
		Numbers Registered		Deaths of		Deaths from			
		Marriages, Births, Deaths,*		Inhabitants under 1 year		Principal Epidemic Diseases		Tuberculosis	
SUPERINTENDENT-RECORDERS' DISTRICTS.	Area in Statute Acres.	Population Census 1926.	Marriages.	Births.	Deaths.	Diphtheria	Whooping-cough	Pneumonia	Other Forms
LIMERICK.									
70. Croom.	83,369	10,087	6	108	38	6	14	2	1
71. Limerick.	164,342	24,284	16	112	74	9	33	3	16
72. Limerick (pt. of)	112,823	21,417	21	101	66	6	33	3	16
73. Newcastle	23,884	2,823	21	110	61	6	30	3	15
74. Rathkeale	13,840	1,7223	8	80	40	8	15	2	12
LIMERICK CO. BORO'.									
75. Limerick (pt.of)	2,386	39,448	77	321	130	25	34	7	7
TIPPERARY, N.R.									
76. Borrisokane.	109,667	9,213	9	44	24	1	14	1	1
77. Nenagh.	133,392	20,732	24	109	75	7	24	1	1
78. Roscrea.	57,541	7,586	7	92	18	1	6	1	1
79. Thurles.	142,655	22,054	25	108	60	8	27	1	1
TIPPERARY, S.R.									
80. Carrick-on-Suir	26,118	6,883	11	35	26	4	6	2	2
81. Cashel.	222,782	26,000	22	113	68	5	40	2	10
82. Clogheen.	12,348	2,54	25	54	40	2	21	1	1
83. Clonmel.	13,777	1,91	19	45	8	14	1	1	1
84. Tidberry.	144,414	22,322	12	121	60	9	29	1	1
WATERFORD.									
85. Dungarvan.	144,323	18,287	15	65	56	4	22	1	1
86. Kilmeath.	64,595	6,321	3	30	18	1	8	1	1
87. Lismore.	97,178	10,802	10	48	28	1	16	1	1
88. Waterford (pt. of)	146,955	16,505	21	67	66	3	38	2	1
WATERFORD CO. BAN.									
89. Waterford (pt. of)	1,438	26,647	33	207	82	19	21	1	1
II. PROVINCE OF CONNAUGHT									
GALWAY.									
90. Ballinasloe.	153,542	18,602	19	61	48	4	23	1	1
91. Clifden.	133,692	13,760	9	50	31	15	41	2	1
92. Galway.	34,294	4,1	41	18,512	9,5	16	41	1	1
93. Glenamaddy.	82,958	11,630	7	55	44	3	27	1	1
94. Gort.	10,750	1,06321	7	50	23	1	14	1	1
95. Loughrea.	19,257	1,9117	17	79	52	4	15	1	1
96. Mountmellick.	72,439	9,114	4	42	27	2	15	1	1
97. Oughterard.	14,494	1,494	13	86	36	21	12	1	1
98. Portumna.	17,438	1,762	13	42	21	4	11	1	1
99. Tuam.	29,100	2,856	9	143	70	2	14	1	1

PROVINCE OF
SASKATCHEWAN (Part of)

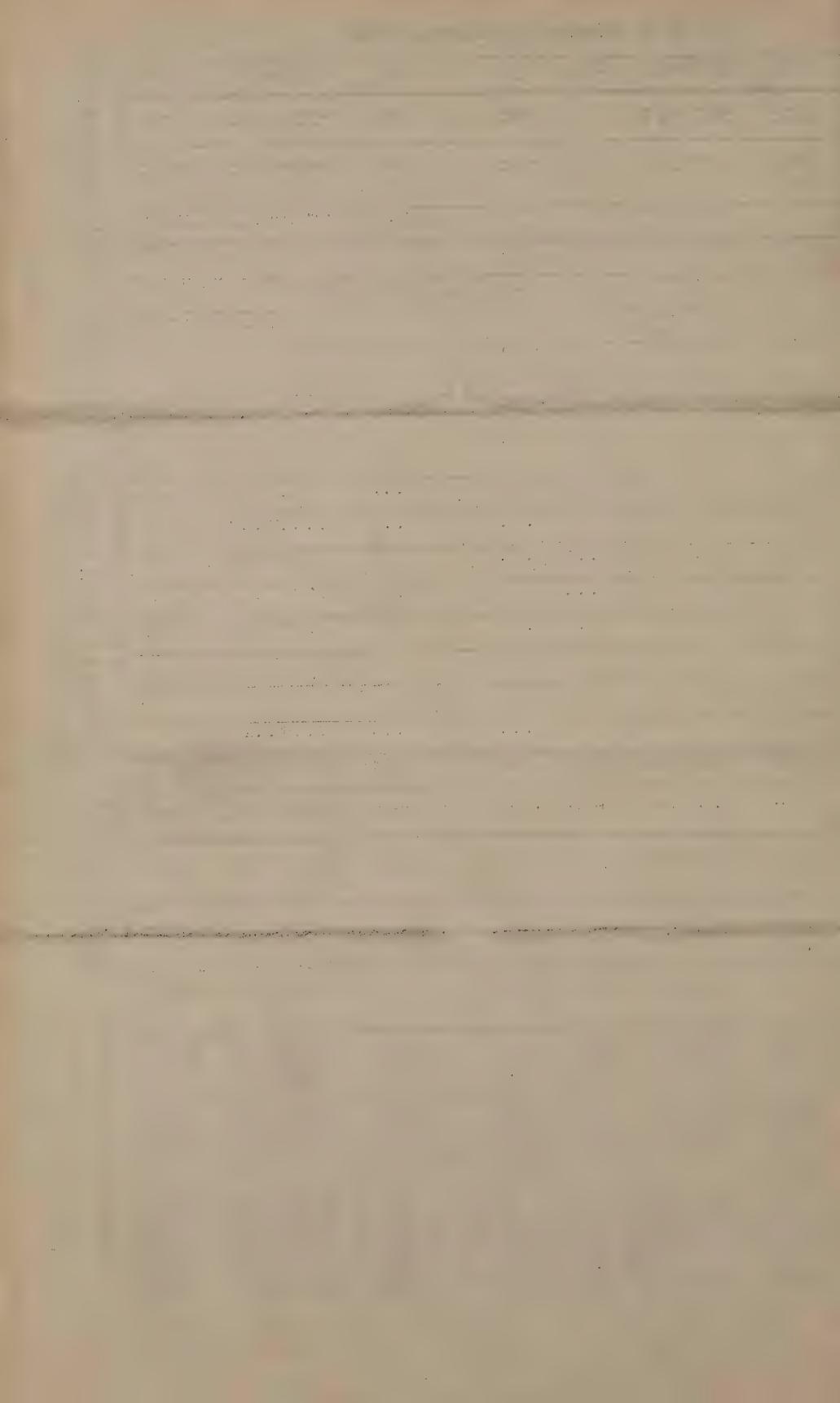
CAYAN.		54	10	10	20
Ballyleborough	21,473	22	17	8	8
Bawnboy	12,232	9	4	32	32
Cavan.	48,747	47	4	4	4
DONEGAL.		3	1	1	1
Ballyshannon	41,628	3	1	1	1
Dunguaigh	160,441	23	1	1	1
Dunmaghary	126,123	14	1	1	1
Glenmaloy	258,505	15	1	1	1
Inishowen	160,021	14	1	1	1
Lettarkeynny	160,377	14	1	1	1
Millford	112,089	14	1	1	1
Stranorlar	174,389	24	1	1	1
MONAGHAN.		5	1	1	1
Carickmacross	65,680	13,740	49	29	4
Castlereavy	63,834	13,932	14	79	16
Clones	64,288	12,352	2	40	4
Monaghan	125,183	25,107	8	48	12
			5	41	6
			27	86	21
					22
					22

* See note (*) on page 69.

The Registrars' Districts, to be henceforth called Coolock and Drumcondra, No. 1 and No. 2, respectively.

LITERATION OF DISTRICTS

1st August, 1872, the Legislator's District or Coolock and Dremondra No. 1 and Coolock and Duncondra No. 2 respectively.



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NOTE.—The figures relating to vital statistics, as given in this Report, must be regarded as provisional, the revised figures appearing in the Detailed Annual Report. They may, however, be accepted as substantially correct.

In the Quarterly Reports, commencing with that for the first quarter of 1927, the Deaths registered in any part of the country have been referred, as far as practicable, to the normal area of residence of deceased.

The Births registered in each urban area, according to numerical returns furnished by the Registrars, have been partially corrected by the exclusion of those occurring in institutions of infants whose mothers were admitted from other localities. No correction is made in these reports for births in individual rural areas. In Table IV, as a consequence, there is liability to slight understatement in the births for individual urban districts, and a corresponding overstatement in those given for the aggregate of rural districts.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

The **Marriage-rate** (4·4 per 1,000 of the estimated population) for the fourth quarter of 1932, based on 3,245 marriages registered during the quarter, is 0·2 above the average for the corresponding quarter of the ten years, 1922-31. The marriage rate among Catholics for the fourth quarter of 1932 was 4·5, and among all other denominations, 3·2.

In Northern Ireland the marriage rate for the third quarter of 1932 was 6·7 per 1,000; in England and Wales, 9·4, and in Scotland 7·6, as compared with 4·7 for Saorstat Eireann.

The **Birth-rate** for the fourth quarter of 1932, viz., 17·5 per 1,000, represented by 13,034 births registered in Saorstat Eireann, is 1·4 below the average (18·9) for the fourth quarters of the ten years, 1922-31. For Dublin City the birth rate was 22·7; for Dun Laoghaire, 15·4; for Cork, 20·1; for Limerick, 22·0; and for Waterford, 22·2.

The corresponding birth-rate for Northern Ireland during this quarter was 18·1; for England and Wales, 13·9; and for Scotland, 17·7. The birth-rate for Belfast was 19·2; for Londonderry, 20·5; for London, 12·9; for Glasgow, 18·9; and for Edinburgh, 15·4.

The rate in respect of **Deaths** registered in Saorstat Eireann (numbering 9,644) was 13·0 per 1,000 for this quarter, being 0·3 below the average (13·3) for the fourth quarters of the preceding ten years.

For Dublin City the death-rate was 15·5; for Dun Laoghaire, 16·2; for Cork, 13·6; for Limerick, 12·7; and for Waterford, 16·5.

In Northern Ireland the death-rate for the quarter under review was 13·1 per 1,000; in England and Wales, 11·5; and in Scotland, 13·7. In Belfast, the rate was 13·2; in Londonderry, 15·3; in London, 11·4; in Glasgow, 16·2; and in Edinburgh, 13·3.

Deaths in Saorstat Eireann from the **Principal Epidemic Diseases** (comprising typhoid fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery and diarrhoeal diseases) afforded an annual rate of 0·5 per 1,000, which is equal to the average for the fourth quarters of the five years, 1927-31.

The mortality from **Influenza** was equivalent to a rate of 0·2 per 1,000, the average for the corresponding quarters of the preceding five years being also 0·2.

The rate for deaths from all forms of **Tuberculous Disease** was 1·0 per 1,000, which is 0·1 below the average rate for the fourth quarters of the five years preceding.

Deaths from **Puerperal Conditions** represent a rate of 5·1 per 1,000 births registered, comprising 2·0 for puerperal sepsis and 3·1 for other puerperal conditions, as compared with 1·1 and 3·4 for the fourth quarter of 1931.

The **Infant Mortality** rate (deaths of infants under one year of age per 1,000 births registered) was 73, in comparison with an average of 70 for the fourth quarters of the ten years, 1922-31.

The **Population** estimated to the middle of 1932 is 2,974,000 (males, 1,514,000, and females, 1,460,000) showing an increase of 17,000 on the estimate for the middle of 1931, which increase is derived from the natural increase, or excess of births over deaths, and the balance between inward and outward migrants.

The **Natural Increase** during the fourth quarter of 1932 was 3,390, as compared with an average of 4,193 for the fourth quarters of the ten years, 1922-31.

During the fourth quarter of 1932, the number of **Emigrants** to places out of Europe and not within the Mediterranean Sea was 336, and the number of **Immigrants** from these places 1,060.

MARRIAGES.

The marriages registered during the quarter ended 31st December, 1932, numbered 3,245, equivalent to an annual rate of 4·4 per 1,000 of the estimated population, this rate being 0·5 above that for the corresponding quarter of 1931, and 0·2 above the average for the fourth quarter of the ten years, 1922-31 (See Table I). Of the total Marriages 3,069 (or 4·5 per 1,000 of the estimated number of Catholics in the population) were those of Catholics, and 176 related to all other denominations, equivalent to 3·2 per 1,000 of the population other than Catholic. The marriage rate among Catholics is 0·3 above, and that among other denominations 0·5 below, the respective averages for the fourth quarter of the preceding ten years.

BIRTHS.

During the quarter ended 31st December last, there were registered in the 641 Registrars' Districts into which Saorstat Eireann is divided for registration purposes, 13,034 births, of which 6,730 were those of males and 6,304 of females, or 1,068 of the former to 1,000 of the latter.

The Birth rate was 17·5 per 1,000 of the estimated population, being 1·4 below the average (18·9) for the fourth quarter of the ten years, 1922-31 (See Table I).

The birth rate ascribed to **Urban Districts**, including the cities or boroughs in the aggregate, was 21·0 per 1,000 of the population, and to **Rural Districts**, 16·1 per 1,000, as compared with 21·0 and 16·6 respectively, in the fourth quarter of 1931 (See Table IV).

For the **Twelve Principal Towns**, the birth-rate was 21·7 per 1,000, as against 21·5 per 1,000 in the corresponding quarter of last year.

Amongst these towns, the birth-rate varied from 28·3 for Kilkenny, 23·0 for Drogheda, and 22·7 for Dublin, to 13·7 for Dundalk, 15·4 for Dun Laoghaire, and 17·5 for Tralee.

DEATHS.

The number of deaths registered during the quarter was 9,644, and of these 5,011 were deaths of males and 4,633 of females. For all persons the equivalent annual rate was 13·0 per 1,000 of the estimated population, being 0·3 below the average for the fourth quarter of the preceding decennium, and equal to the rate for the fourth quarter of the year 1931 (See Table I).

For the **Urban Districts** in the aggregate, the death-rate during the quarter was 14·5 per 1,000 as compared with 14·0 for the fourth quarter of 1931, and for **Rural Districts**, 12·3 per 1,000 in comparison with 12·6 for the corresponding period of the preceding year.

The annual rate represented by deaths from all causes for the **Twelve Principal Towns** was 14·9 per 1,000, as compared with 14·5 per 1,000 in the fourth quarter of 1931.

In the quarter under review, the rates for these towns are hereunder given, ranging in order from the district with the lowest rate to that with the highest:—Sligo, 7·7; Dundalk, 12·6; Limerick, 12·7; Wexford, 13·1; Cork, 13·6; Drogheda, 13·8; Tralee, 14·4; Kilkenny, 14·7; Dublin, 15·5; Galway, 15·7; Dun Laoghaire, 16·2; and Waterford, 16·5.

Causes of Death.

In Table II, the mortality from some of the principal causes is given for the fourth quarter of 1932 and for each quarter of the preceding five years, as well as the averages for each quarter of these years.

Principal Epidemic Diseases.—From this Table it will be seen that the number of deaths (394) from this group of causes is 34 above that for the fourth quarter of 1931, viz., 360, and 5 above the average for the fourth quarter of the five years, 1927-31. Increases are shown in typhoid fever, typhus, scarlet fever, and diphtheria in comparison with the average for the previous five years. The increase in typhoid fever amounted to 75 per cent., in scarlet fever to 69 per cent. and in diphtheria to 24 per cent. more than the average.

Decreases have occurred in measles, whooping-cough and diarrhoeal diseases of children under 2.

Of 134 deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 87 (or 18·7 per 1,000 births) were recorded for urban areas, as against 47 (or 5·6 per 1,000 births) for rural areas. For urban areas of 10,000 population and upwards ("Twelve Principal Towns"), the mortality was 20·9 per 1,000 births, as compared with 10·4 per 1,000 for urban districts with less than 10,000 inhabitants.

Table III. shows that the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases in the Counties and Cities varied from 0·0 per 1,000 for Clare, to 1·4 for Limerick County Borough.

The death rate from these diseases in relation to the twelve principal towns in the aggregate, was 1·1 per 1,000, and the rates fluctuated between 0·4 per 1,000 for Dun Laoghaire and 1·7 for Dundalk; the 44 deaths from all causes for the latter district including one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years (Table IV).

Influena.—Deaths from influenza amounted to 147, affording an annual rate of 0·20 per 1,000, which is 0·02 above the average for the fourth quarter of the preceding five years, 1927-31. Of the 147 deaths, 26 appertained to urban areas, representing 0·1 per 1,000 of the population, and 121 to rural districts, or 0·2 per 1,000; the corresponding rates for the fourth quarter of 1931 were also 0·1 and 0·2.

Tuberculosis.—The number of deaths from all forms of this disease during the quarter was 719, equivalent to an annual rate of 1·0 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with an average of 831, and a rate of 1·1 per 1,000 for the fourth quarter of the five years, 1927-31. As may be seen from Table III, the rates varied from 1·4 for the cities of Dublin and Waterford, and 1·2 for the counties of Dublin and Galway to 0·3 for Carlow, 0·4 for Sligo, and 0·6 for Kildare, Meath, Leitrim, Roscommon and Monaghan. The rate for the aggregate city or borough areas and urban districts was 1·3 per 1,000 of the population of these areas, as compared with 0·8 for rural areas. For the twelve principal town areas the rate was 1·3 per 1,000, and for urban districts under 10,000 population it was also 1·3.

Puerperal Conditions.—The number of deaths ascribed to accidents and diseases of pregnancy and childbirth, as recorded during the quarter, was 66, being equal to 5·1 per 1,000 births registered. Of the 66 deaths, 26 were due to puerperal sepsis, or 2·0 per 1,000 births, and 40, or 3·1 per 1,000 births, to other puerperal conditions. The corresponding rates for the fourth quarter of 1931 were 1·1 and 3·4 respectively.

Ages at Death.

Of 9,644 deaths at all ages registered during the quarter, 957 or 9·9 per cent. were those of infants under one year of age, and 4,263 or 44·2 per cent. were those of persons 65 years and upwards.

Infant Mortality.—The infant mortality was 73 per 1,000 births registered, as compared with 79, 73 and 61 respectively, for the three preceding quarters, and an average of 70 for the fourth quarter of the ten years preceding (Table I).

For county boroughs and urban districts in the aggregate, the rate was 110, and for all rural districts 53 per 1,000 (Table III).

Deaths in Public Institutions.

Deaths in Institutions numbered 2,758, or 28·6 per cent. of all deaths registered.

Inquests.

There were 252 inquests or deaths registered on Coroners' Certificates during the quarter, this number being 2·6 per cent. of the total deaths registered.

Uncertified Deaths.

The number of deaths in cases where there was no medical attendant during the last illness, (not including deaths registered on Coroners' Certificates) was 1,826, or 18·9 per cent. of the total deaths.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Notified.

Table VI gives the number of such cases notified during the quarter in urban and rural districts. The total number amounted to 2,784.

Vaccination.

As returned by the Registrars, the number of successful *primary* vaccinations during the quarter ended 31st December last was 8,384, or 64·3 to every 100 births registered during the quarter, the corresponding ratio for the fourth quarter of the five years 1927-31 being 70·7.

CITY OF DUBLIN.

BIRTHS.

Exclusive of 318 births in institutions relating to residents of other localities, the number of births recorded for the city of Dublin during the quarter under review was 2,363. The annual rate represented thereby was 22·7 per 1,000 of the estimated population, as compared with a rate of 22·4 for the corresponding quarter of 1931. The total births registered (2,681) comprise 1,404 boys and 1,277 girls.

DEATHS.

Omitting 225 deaths registered in the city relating to other localities, but including those of city residents registered elsewhere in Saorstat Eireann, the deaths ascribed to the city of Dublin for the quarter numbered 1,614, equivalent to an annual rate of 15.5 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with 14.5 per 1,000 for the fourth quarter of 1931. The total number of deaths registered in the city numbered 1,793—918 males and 878 females.

For the portion of the city north of the Liffey, the death-rate from all causes was 15.5 per 1,000, as compared with 14.8 in the fourth quarter of 1931, the corresponding rates for the south side being 18.8 and 13.5 respectively. *The mortality for these portions of the city is derived from figures partially corrected for deaths in institutions, as given in Table V., which shows the mortality for each Registrar's District, by ages and by some of the principal causes, for the quarter (thirteen weeks) ended 31st December, 1932.*

Causes of Death.

Principal Epidemic Diseases.—The deaths from this group of causes relating to the city during the quarter numbered 126, affording an annual rate of 1.2 per 1,000, as compared with 0.8 per 1,000, for the fourth quarter of the preceding year.

The following statement shows for the city of Dublin the number of deaths from some of the principal causes for the fourth quarter of 1932, as compared with 1931:—

CAUSE OF DEATH	Fourth	Fourth
	Quarter, 1932	Quarter, 1931
Principal Epidemic Diseases	Typhoid fever	9
	Typhus	2
	Small-pox	.
	Measles	30
	Scarlet fever	5
	Whooping-cough	9
	Diphtheria	28
	Dysentery	1
	Diarrhoea and enteritis (children under 2 years)	42
	Influenza	12
Other forms	Pulmonary tuberculosis	124
	Other forms	18
		17
		119
		34

Increases are shown for all these diseases except influenza, and other forms of tuberculosis, as compared with the fourth quarter of last year.

The greatest increase is shown in deaths from measles, the number in the quarter under review being 21 more than in the corresponding quarter of 1931.

Influenza.—The number of deaths attributed to influenza was 12, as against 17 in the fourth quarter of 1931.

Tuberculosis.—The deaths from all forms of tuberculous disease recorded for the city numbered 142, representing an annual rate of 1.36 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with 1.48 for the fourth quarter of the preceding year.

The mortality from tuberculosis in the north side of the city was 1.38 per 1,000, and in the south, 1.25, the respective rates for the fourth quarter of 1931 being 1.48 and 1.33.

Of the 142 deaths, 124 were ascribed to pulmonary and 18 to other forms of the disease, the former representing a rate of 1.19 per 1,000 and the latter 0.17 per 1,000.

Ages at Death.

Of the 1,614 deaths relating to the city of Dublin, as registered during the quarter, 459 (or 28.4 per cent.) were those of children under five years of age, and 445 (or 27.6 per cent.) were of persons 65 years of age or upwards, the corresponding percentages in respect of the fourth quarter of 1931 being 23.7 and 27.4.

The **Infant Mortality**, based on 320 deaths of infants under one year of age, was 135 per 1,000 births, as compared with 100 for the fourth quarter of 1931.

Deaths in Public Institutions.

The deaths of Dublin residents occurring in public institutions, as registered during the quarter, numbered 766, or 47.5 per cent. of total deaths.

Cases of Infectious Disease.

The number of cases of infectious disease notified during the quarter, as shown in Table VI., was 749. Table VII gives the number of cases under treatment in Dublin hospitals during the quarter.

METEOROLOGY.

The mean temperature for the fourteen weeks ended 31st December, 1932, deduced from the mean weekly temperature as returned from the Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park, Dublin, was $45\cdot4^{\circ}$, and at Cork (Roche's Point) it was $48\cdot8^{\circ}$; for the thirteen weeks ended 31st December at Peamount Sanatorium it was $45\cdot0^{\circ}$; at Greenwich, $45\cdot5^{\circ}$; at Glasgow, $43\cdot8^{\circ}$; and at Edinburgh, $43\cdot7^{\circ}$.

The mean daily number of hours of bright sunshine recorded at Dublin was $2\cdot7$; at Peamount Sanatorium, $1\cdot9$; at Cork (Ballinacurra), $2\cdot4$; at Greenwich, $1\cdot6$; at Glasgow, $1\cdot1$; and at Edinburgh, $1\cdot9$.

The rainfall during the same periods measured at Dublin $8\cdot62$ inches; at Peamount Sanatorium, $11\cdot00$ inches; at Cork (Roche's Point), $15\cdot51$ inches; at Greenwich, $6\cdot81$ inches; at Glasgow, $15\cdot44$ inches; and at Edinburgh, $12\cdot19$ inches.

The following information has been kindly furnished by the Director of the Meteorological Office, London :—

OCTOBER.

The weather of October was unsettled, with an unusual prevalence of winds from between west and north. Mean temperature was slightly below the normal but mild days occurred, when temperature rose to 60°F . or above. On the 16th, for example, 66°F . was registered at both Ballinacurra and Cork. The coldest spell occurred towards the end of the month, and temperature failed to pass 45°F . locally on the 27th, 28th and 30th. The lowest temperature, 29°F ., was recorded at Birr Castle on the 29th, at Kilkenny on the 4th and 29th, at Mountmellick on the 4th, and at Markree Castle on the 10th.

Although the general precipitation was a little above the normal, many places recorded a deficiency, particularly in the west and southwest. This deficiency is interesting when compared with the large excess experienced in eastern Scotland and parts of England. In marked contrast to the three dull months immediately preceding it, October was, on the whole, unusually sunny.

NOVEMBER.

The month of November was dry, conspicuously so in some parts; locally in County Kerry and County Dublin, for example, less than 40 per cent. of the normal rainfall was recorded. In the south it was also markedly dull, but a few places in the north enjoyed rather more than the average sunshine. The month opened with mild, rather unsettled weather. A change occurred between the 4th and 5th and thereafter an anticyclonic distribution of pressure was maintained; easterly winds were unusually prevalent, and very little rain fell. From the 22nd onward, conditions were very unsettled with strong winds and local gales from between southwest and northwest. The extreme temperatures for the month were:— 61°F . at Kilkenny, on the 2nd, and 25°F . at Markree Castle, Hazelhatch and Mountmellick on the 6th.

DECEMBER.

The weather of December was variable, but on the average it was mild, wet and, in most places, rather sunny. The opening days were unsettled, with occasional rain and strong winds at times, particularly in the northwest. From the 6th to the 11th there ensued a spell of cold, dry weather, with mainly easterly winds. Subsequently conditions became unsettled again and extremely mild. The period from the 15th to the 22nd was particularly disturbed, and the prolonged and frequently heavy rain resulted in serious floods over a large part of the country. Some large falls in 24 hours include 45 mm. at Mallaranny on the 15th, 64 mm. at Killarney and 44 mm. at Valentia on the 16th, 43 mm. at Waterford and Rothes Point and 41 mm. at Ballinacurra on the 19th, and 39 mm. at Carrick-on-Suir and 38 mm. at Cork on the 22nd. Temperature rose to 61°F . at Dublin and to 60°F . at Hazelhatch and Rathfarnham on the 17th. Strong winds or gales occurred on the 31st: a gust of 96 m.p.h. was recorded at Valentia Observatory.

Meteorological Observations.

TABLE A.—Showing the Mean Weekly Values and the Differences from their Normal Values of the METEOROLOGICAL ELEMENTS at Phoenix Park, Dublin, for the Fourteen Weeks ended December 31st, 1932.

	AIR PRESSURE	TEMPERATURE			HYGROMETER			BRIGHT SUNSHINE			RAINFALL			WIND				
		Maximun A. °F.	Mean of A. & B. °F.	Minimun B. °F.	Maximun A. °R.	Mean of A. & B. °R.	Minimun B. °R.	Deviation from Normal Mean of Dry Bulb	Mean of Wet Bulb	Mean of Wet Bulb	Deviation from Normal Mean Humidity	Percentage of Possible	Total Amount	Number of Days	Mean Force Scale 0—12)			
WEEK ENDED																		
Oct. 1st, 1932	mb 1015.5	°F. 56.9	°F. 39.1	°F. 48.0	°R. 65	°R. 30	°R. 46.7	°F. -4.3	°F. -3.0	°F. -3.0	°F. 46.0	% 87	hrs. 6.2	+1.2	mm. 43	2.7		
" 8th	mb 1008.5	57.0	38.0	47.5	59	32	46.8	45.3	89	5.1	+1.4	45	11	-2	3	2.3		
" 15th	mb 1000.8	-11.8	54.6	38.9	46.7	-2.2	59	33	43.7	44.5	91	4.0	+0.5	37	11	-5	4	2.4
" 22nd	mb 1007.2	-5.4	55.1	42.9	49.0	+0.7	57	36	40.2	47.4	87	3.0	-0.3	29	23	+14	6	2.4
" 29th	mb 1003.6	-8.9	52.6	38.1	45.3	-0.5	58	31	43.6	42.5	91	3.3	+0.1	33	19	+3	7	2.4
Nov. 5th	mb 1013.8	-1.3	54.6	40.4	47.5	+1.5	60	33	45.7	44.5	91	3.2	+0.4	34	5	-12	4	2.5
" 12th	mb 1022.0	+9.6	50.0	34.6	42.3	-2.7	53	29	42.0	40.5	87	2.6	+0.3	30	0	-19	0	1.1
" 19th	mb 1022.0	+9.6	48.1	41.4	44.7	+1.8	51	36	44.3	42.3	84	0.3	-2.4	3	5	-12	3	1.6
" 26th	mb 1003.0	-6.0	50.7	38.3	44.5	+2.5	55	32	44.4	42.9	87	2.1	0.0	26	23	+9	5	3.1
Dec. 3rd	mb 1009.6	-2.1	48.6	36.9	42.7	+1.1	54	33	41.8	40.4	87	3.6	+1.9	46	11	-4	5	3.1
" 10th	mb 1021.9	+19.5	44.3	36.1	40.2	-0.7	46	31	40.4	37.2	71	2.1	+0.4	27	0.4	-17	1	3.4
" 17th	mb 1012.3	+1.2	49.3	41.3	45.3	+4.6	58	38	46.7	44.9	86	0.6	-1.0	9	21	+6	5	2.9
" 24th	mb 1010.7	-0.1	53.7	43.3	48.5	-8.2	57	36	47.8	46.2	88	0.6	-0.9	8	66	+52	6	2.7
" 31st	mb 1010.9	-0.7	50.6	37.3	43.9	+3.5	56	29	44.5	42.6	85	1.7	+0.4	23	7	-9	4	1.7
MEANS	mb 1011.8	-0.4	51.9	39.0	45.4	+0.7	65	20	45.0	43.3	87	2.7	+0.1	28	219*	+2	56	2.5

* Total for 14 weeks

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WEEK ENDED																		
Oct. 1st, 1932	mb 1015.5	°F. 56.9	°F. 39.1	°F. 48.0	°R. 65	°R. 30	°R. 46.7	°F. -4.3	°F. -3.0	°F. -3.0	°F. 46.0	% 87	hrs. 6.2	+1.2	mm. 43	2.7		
" 8th	mb 1008.5	57.0	38.0	47.5	59	32	46.8	45.3	89	5.1	+1.4	45	11	-2	3	2.3		
" 15th	mb 1000.8	-11.8	54.6	38.9	46.7	-2.2	59	33	43.7	44.5	91	4.0	+0.5	37	11	-5	4	2.4
" 22nd	mb 1007.2	-5.4	55.1	42.9	49.0	+0.7	57	36	40.2	47.4	87	3.0	-0.3	29	23	+14	6	2.4
" 29th	mb 1003.6	-8.9	52.6	38.1	45.3	-0.5	58	31	43.6	42.5	91	3.3	+0.1	33	19	+3	7	2.4
Nov. 5th	mb 1013.8	-1.3	54.6	40.4	47.5	+1.5	60	33	45.7	44.5	91	3.2	+0.4	34	5	-12	4	2.5
" 12th	mb 1022.0	+9.6	50.0	34.6	42.3	-2.7	53	29	42.0	40.5	87	2.6	+0.3	30	0	-19	0	1.1
" 19th	mb 1022.0	+9.6	48.1	41.4	44.7	+1.8	51	36	44.3	42.3	84	0.3	-2.4	3	5	-12	3	1.6
" 26th	mb 1003.0	-6.0	50.7	38.3	44.5	+2.5	55	32	44.4	42.9	87	2.1	0.0	26	23	+9	5	3.1
Dec. 3rd	mb 1009.6	-2.1	48.6	36.9	42.7	+1.1	54	33	41.8	40.4	87	3.6	+1.9	46	11	-4	5	3.1
" 10th	mb 1021.9	+19.5	44.3	36.1	40.2	-0.7	46	31	40.4	37.2	71	2.1	+0.4	27	0.4	-17	1	3.4
" 17th	mb 1012.3	+1.2	49.3	41.3	45.3	+4.6	58	38	46.7	44.9	86	0.6	-1.0	9	21	+6	5	2.9
" 24th	mb 1010.7	-0.1	53.7	43.3	48.5	-8.2	57	36	47.8	46.2	88	0.6	-0.9	8	66	+52	6	2.7
" 31st	mb 1010.9	-0.7	50.6	37.3	43.9	+3.5	56	29	44.5	42.6	85	1.7	+0.4	23	7	-9	4	1.7
MEANS	mb 1011.8	-0.4	51.9	39.0	45.4	+0.7	65	20	45.0	43.3	87	2.7	+0.1	28	219*	+2	56	2.5

* Total for 14 weeks

TABLE B.—Showing the Mean Weekly Values and the differences from their Normal Values of the METEOROLOGICAL ELEMENTS at Roches Point,
Co. Cork, for the Fourteen Weeks ended December 31st, 1932.

	WEEK ENDED	AIR PRESSURE		TEMPERATURE		HYGROMETER		BRIGHT SUNSHINE*		RAINFALL		WIND								
		Value reduced to Mean Sea Level	Deviation from Normal	Mean of A. & B.	Maximum A.	Minimum B.	Mean of Dry Bulb	Highest	Lowest	Mean Daily Amount	Deviation from Normal	Percentage of Possible	Total Amount	Number of Days	Mean Force (Scale 0—12)					
Oct.	1st, 1932	mb. 1014.3	—	°F 57.7	°F 44.6	°F 51.1	°F 41	°F 51.7	°F 48.5	% 78	% 3.1	% 58	mm 28	4	3.5					
,	8th	... 1008.0	—	57.7	44.7	51.2	-2.3	60	41	52.7	49.5	4.9	+1.3	43	36	+17	4	3.3		
,	15th	... 1003.3	—	56.6	45.1	50.9	-1.2	58	41	52.0	49.7	84	5.2	47	15	-9	2	3.1		
,	22nd	... 1010.2	—	57.7	48.6	53.1	+1.6	65	45	53.0	51.1	87	3.2	0.1	30	50	+26	5	3.1	
,	29th	... 1005.5	—	54.9	44.1	49.5	+0.4	57	37	50.0	47.8	85	2.6	-0.3	26	23	-2	5	3.4	
Nov.	5th	... 1015.3	—	53.7	46.6	50.1	+0.9	57	40	50.5	48.1	88	3.0	+0.4	31	11	-14	4	3.4	
,	12th	... 1015.7	—	51.9	47.3	49.6	+1.2	54	42	50.0	47.7	84	0.3	-1.7	4	11	-18	3	3.7	
,	19th	... 1019.8	—	49.4	45.9	47.7	+1.2	52	40	47.8	45.9	85	0.9	-1.4	10	18	-7	3	3.4	
,	26th	... 1009.9	—	52.7	45.0	48.9	+3.1	57	36	50.0	47.5	82	2.1	+0.3	25	11	-11	6	3.4	
Dec.	3rd	... 1013.3	—	49.9	41.9	45.8	+0.2	53	40	46.5	44.4	84	2.5	+1.0	31	15	-9	6	3.4	
,	10th	... 1018.5	—	45.0	40.9	42.9	-2.0	49	38	43.2	39.4	69	0.4	-1.1	6	1	-31	1	4.2	
,	17th	... 1012.2	—	49.1	44.3	46.7	+2.0	52	40	47.7	46.5	91	1.1	-0.3	14	51	+21	7	3.8	
,	24th	... 1010.1	—	51.3	45.3	48.3	+4.0	54	41	48.4	47.4	92	0.5	-0.9	7	89	+60	6	4.3	
,	31st	1014.4	—	50.4	44.0	47.2	+3.0	52	35	48.0	46.4	88	0.6	-0.7	8	35	+4	6	3.5	
	MEANS	...	1012.2	—	52.7	44.9	48.8	+0.6	65	35	49.4	47.1	84	2.4	+0.1	24	394†	+35	62	3.5

* The sunshine values are taken from the record maintained at Ballinacurra, eight miles N.N.E. of Roches Point. † Total for 14 weeks.

TABLE I.—Marriages, Births and Deaths registered in Saorstát Éireann, in the years 1922 to 1932, by quarters.

YEAR AND QUARTER	NUMBERS				RATES				Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births	
	Marriages	Births	DEATHS		Per 1,000 of Estimated Population					
			All ages	Under one year	Marriages	Births	Deaths			
Year	Average 1922-26	14,597	61,437	43,467	4,293	4·9	20·5	14·5	70	
	1927 ...	13,418	60,054	43,677	4,254	4·5	20·3	14·8	71	
	1928 ...	13,716	59,176	41,792	4,016	4·7	20·1	14·2	68	
	1929 ...	13,593	58,280	42,991	4,102	4·6	19·8	14·6	70	
	1930 ...	13,631	58,353	41,702	3,965	4·6	19·8	14·2	68	
	1931 ...	13,133	57,086	42,947	3,935	4·4	19·3	14·5	69	
	Average 1922-31	14,048	60,014	43,044	4,174	4·7	20·2	14·5	70	
	Average 1922-26	4,244	15,232	12,919	1,220	5·7	20·3	17·2	80	
	1927 ...	3,813	14,892	13,410	1,328	5·2	20·1	18·1	89	
	1928 ...	3,748	14,593	12,578	1,213	5·1	19·8	17·1	83	
First Quarter	1929 ...	3,842	14,151	13,960	1,266	4·5	19·2	19·0	89	
	1930 ...	3,964	14,481	12,666	1,165	5·4	19·7	17·2	80	
	1931 ...	3,518	14,304	13,686	1,288	4·8	19·3	18·5	90	
	Average 1922-31	3,960	14,858	13,090	1,236	5·3	20·0	17·6	83	
	Average 1922-26	3,584	18,235	11,690	1,080	4·8	21·7	15·6	67	
Second Quarter	1927 ...	3,075	15,834	11,816	1,083	4·2	21·4	16·0	68	
	1928 ...	3,251	15,840	11,062	985	4·4	21·5	15·0	62	
	1929 ...	3,383	15,345	10,895	1,014	4·6	20·8	14·8	66	
	1930 ...	3,077	15,305	10,751	1,038	4·2	20·8	14·6	68	
	1931 ...	3,128	15,142	11,293	1,045	4·2	20·5	15·3	69	
Third Quarter	Average 1922-31	3,384	15,864	11,426	1,057	4·5	21·3	15·4	67	
	Average 1922-26	3,618	15,601	8,840	980	4·8	20·8	11·8	63	
	1927 ...	3,451	15,302	8,651	866	4·7	20·7	11·7	57	
	1928 ...	3,557	14,868	8,561	844	4·8	20·2	11·6	57	
	1929 ...	3,720	14,993	8,524	885	5·1	20·4	11·6	59	
Fourth Quarter	1930 ...	3,489	14,882	8,435	777	4·7	20·2	11·5	52	
	1931 ...	3,579	14,410	8,364	714	4·8	19·5	11·3	50	
	Average 1922-31	3,589	15,244	8,673	898	4·8	20·5	11·7	59	
	Average 1922-26	3,151	14,369	10,018	1,013	4·2	19·2	13·4	71	
	1927 ...	3,079	14,026	9,800	977	4·2	19·0	13·3	70	
Fourth Quarter	1928 ...	3,160	13,875	9,591	974	4·3	18·8	13·0	70	
	1929 ...	3,148	13,791	9,612	937	4·3	18·7	13·1	68	
	1930 ...	3,101	13,705	9,850	985	4·2	18·6	13·4	72	
	1931 ...	2,908	13,230	9,604	888	3·9	17·9	13·0	67	
	Average 1922-31	3,115	14,048	9,855	983	4·2	18·9	13·3	70	
1st Quarter, 1932	...	3,181	13,596	13,189	1,078	4·3	18·3	17·7	75	
2nd " "	...	3,181	14,758	11,242	1,070	4·3	19·8	15·1	73	
3rd " "	...	3,478	14,779	8,882	905	4·7	19·9	11·9	61	
4th " "	...	3,245	13,034	9,644	957	4·4	17·5	13·0	73	
Year 1932	...	13,085	56,167	42,957	4,010	4·4	18·9	14·4	71	

TABLE II.—Deaths from some of the principal causes registered in Saorstát Éireann during each of the years 1927-32 by quarterly periods, with the rates presented thereby.

YEAR AND QUARTER	DEATHS FROM												Per 1,000 Births	
	Principal Epidemic Diseases.												Per 1,000 Population	
	Tuberculosis						Other Diseases						Cancer	Other Diseases
	All Forms	Pulmonary	All Forms	Pulmonary	All Forms	Tuberculosis	All Forms	Pulmonary	All Forms	Pulmonary	All Forms	Tuberculosis	All Forms	Other Diseases
1st Quarter, 1927-31	24	1	103	20	113	84	2	119	466	634	1,104	869	834	—
2nd Quarter	22	4	63	17	92	64	2	99	363	488	1,153	903	780	—
3rd Quarter	18	2	24	14	62	53	1	158	322	103	201	701	762	—
4th Quarter	18	2	24	14	62	53	1	158	322	103	201	701	762	—
Average, 1st Qtr., 1927-31	24	1	103	20	113	84	2	119	466	634	1,104	869	834	—
1st Quarter	28	1	69	22	212	66	5	108	511	912	1,174	943	826	—
2nd Quarter	33	1	188	25	77	81	112	517	331	1,147	883	817	—	—
3rd Quarter	25	4	48	21	98	70	2	107	397	921	1,060	853	778	—
4th Quarter	14	1	21	15	106	93	7	126	413	245	1,063	814	887	—
Average, 2nd Qtr., 1927-31	24	1	103	20	113	84	2	119	466	634	1,104	869	834	—
1st Quarter	30	5	30	19	134	42	4	92	356	831	1,256	998	742	—
2nd Quarter	25	3	110	23	90	55	3	94	403	314	1,134	899	778	—
3rd Quarter	27	2	48	21	98	70	2	97	365	495	1,082	853	770	—
4th Quarter	12	3	21	10	100	86	1	108	385	209	1,082	853	820	—
Average, 3rd Qtr., 1927-31	24	1	103	20	113	84	2	119	466	634	1,104	869	834	—
1st Quarter	30	5	30	19	134	42	4	92	356	831	1,256	998	742	—
2nd Quarter	25	3	110	23	90	55	3	94	403	314	1,134	899	778	—
3rd Quarter	27	2	48	21	98	70	2	97	365	495	1,082	853	770	—
4th Quarter	12	3	21	10	100	86	1	108	385	209	1,082	853	820	—
Average, 4th Qtr., 1927-31	24	1	103	20	113	84	2	119	466	634	1,104	869	834	—
1st Quarter, 1927-31	29	2	62	25	52	73	3	145	391	181	857	670	782	—
2nd Quarter	10	1	32	19	52	58	4	177	353	130	854	668	832	—
3rd Quarter	20	1	31	8	92	83	1	166	400	138	840	652	847	—
4th Quarter	22	1	89	10	58	129	1	142	444	93	806	629	809	16
Average, 1st Qtr., 1927-31	29	2	62	25	52	73	3	145	391	181	857	670	782	—
1st Quarter	29	2	62	25	52	73	3	145	391	181	857	670	782	—
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MORTALITY BY COUNTIES, &c.

TABLE III.—Showing for Counties, etc., the DEATH-RATES from all Causes, and from some of the Principal Causes, per 1,000 of the population, with the mortality per 1,000 births represented by deaths of infants and deaths from puerperal conditions, during the quarter ended 31st December, 1932.

(See Note on Second Page).

Counties and County Boroughs by Provinces with Urban and Rural Groupings	DEATH-RATES PER 1,000 POPULATION FROM					Deaths of Infants under one year per 1,000 Births †	DEATHS FROM PUERPERAL CONDITIONS				
	All Causes	Principal Epidemic Diseases*	Tuberculosis		Influenza		Total		Puerperal Sepsis		
			All Forms	Pulmonary			Number	Rate per 1,000 Births †	Number	Rate per 1,000 Births †	
SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN†	13.0	0.5	1.0	0.8	0.2	73	66	5.1	26	2.0	
Carlow County	15.0	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.3	97	.	.	.	.
Dublin	14.3	0.6	1.2	1.0	0.1	94	2	4.7	1	2.3	
City of Dublin†	15.5	1.2	1.4	1.2	0.1	135	11	4.7	6	2.5	
Kildare County	12.6	0.7	0.6	0.4	.	84	1	3.8	.	.	
Kilkenny	13.9	0.6	1.0	0.8	0.1	58	.	.	.	.
Laoighis	12.7	0.1	1.1	0.9	0.2	50	.	.	.	.
Longford	14.4	0.3	0.7	0.2	0.9	43	.	.	.	.
Louth	13.4	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.1	77	1	4.0	1	4.0	
Meath	13.3	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.1	63	2	8.4	1	4.2	
Offaly	12.3	0.3	0.9	0.7	0.2	47	1	4.7	.	.	
Westmeath	14.9	0.4	1.1	0.7	0.1	78	3	12.2	.	.	
Wexford	13.8	0.3	1.1	0.8	0.1	80	.	.	.	.
Wicklow	13.0	0.3	1.0	0.8	0.1	61	.	.	.	.
LEINSTER ...	14.4	0.7	1.1	0.9	0.2	97	21	3.7	9	1.6	
Clare County	13.0	0.0	1.1	0.8	0.2	47	2	5.3	.	.	
Cork	12.0	0.5	0.9	0.8	0.2	66	5	4.3	2	1.7	
Cork Co. Borough	13.6	0.8	1.0	0.9	.	71	3	7.6	1	2.5	
Kerry County	12.0	0.4	0.9	0.8	0.3	58	3	5.1	1	1.7	
Limerick	11.5	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.1	75	2	4.2	.	.	
Limerick Co. Borough	12.7	1.4	0.8	0.7	0.1	55	4	18.4	.	.	
Tipperary County N.R.	14.2	0.3	1.0	0.9	0.1	67	3	10.6	1	3.5	
Tipperary County S.R.	13.4	0.2	1.0	0.8	.	65	2	5.6	.	.	
Waterford County	13.5	0.5	1.1	0.8	.	68	2	13.6	1	6.8	
Waterford Co. Borough	16.5	1.2	1.4	0.8	.	122	5	33.8	5	33.8	
MUNSTER ...	12.7	0.5	1.0	0.8	0.1	66	31	7.5	11	2.6	
Galway County	12.4	0.4	1.2	0.9	0.1	58	4	6.0	1	1.5	
Leitrim	11.2	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	68	.	.	.	.
Mayo	10.0	0.4	0.9	0.6	0.2	30	2	2.9	1	1.4	
Roscommon	10.4	0.1	0.6	0.5	0.3	14	5	17.1	1	3.4	
Sligo	10.4	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	44	.	.	.	.
CONNAUGHT	11.0	0.3	0.8	0.6	0.2	42	11	5.2	3	1.4	
Cavan County	13.4	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.4	33	1	3.3	1	3.3	
Donegal	11.4	0.2	0.8	0.6	0.6	42	.	.	.	.
Monaghan	12.2	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.5	71	2	8.3	2	8.3	
ULSTER (part of)	12.1	0.3	0.8	0.6	0.5	45	3	2.6	3	2.6	
Twelve Principal Towns	14.9	1.1	1.3	1.1	0.1	119	26	7.0	13	3.5	
Urban Districts under 10,000 Population ...	13.1	0.4	1.3	1.0	0.2	77	3	3.1	1	1.0	
Aggregate Co. Boroughs and Urban Districts	14.5	0.9	1.3	1.1	0.1	110	29	6.2	14	3.0	
Aggregate Rural Districts	12.3	0.4	0.8	0.7	0.2	53	37	4.4	12	1.4	

* Typhoid fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery and diarrhoeal diseases.

† The rates for Saorstát Éireann and the City of Dublin are calculated on the estimated population in the middle of 1932; those for the other areas on the population according to the Census of 1926.

‡ The rates for the administrative counties of Dublin, Cork, Limerick and Waterford are based on the births registered therein plus a proportion (derived from the record of transfers for 1930) of the births registered in the respective county boroughs relating to other localities.

TABLE IV.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the Quarter ended 31st December 1932, relating to Urban Districts (including County Boroughs), and the number of Deaths from some of the principal causes (see Note on second page); also particulars of BIRTHS and DEATHS (exclusive of those occurring in Public Institutions belonging to the Local Councils) for BIRMINGHAM and LONDON).

¹³ See also notes for Saorset; Cireamh the City of Dublin and the Borough of Dun Laoghaire are calculated on the estimated populations in the middle of 1932.

The information given for Belfast and Londonderry relates to the thirteen weeks ended 31 December, 1932. The birth and death rates are based on the Census population of 1926.
 The rates for Belfast and Londonderry include the rates for the three districts of Antrim, Down and Tyrone.
 Including all deaths registered on Coroner's Certificates.

TABLE V.—Showing for the Quarter (13 weeks) ended 31st December, 1932, the mortality from All Causes and from some of the Principal Causes of residents of the several Registrars' Districts in the Cities of DUBLIN AND CORK,* also the Deaths at certain age periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths.

NOTE: This Table is a summary of the Weekly Returns, and is not comparable with the figures shown in TABLE IV.—Correction is made for Deaths of DUBLIN and CORK CITY residents occurring in Institutions situated within their boundaries, as well as in institutions situated in adjacent rural areas and in other towns of 10,000 inhabitants or upwards. See Note on second page.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1932*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REP. RESISTED BY DEATHS	DEATHS											
			AGES AT DEATH						DEATHS FROM PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES					
			TOTAL DEATHS	From TRIN- CAPITAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES	From ALL CAUSES	Under 1 year	1 and under 5	2 and under 5	5 and under 15	15 and under 25	25 and under 45	45 and under 65	65 and upwards	Other Forms
North City No. 1 East	... 35,600	13.7	129	32	29	30	5	1	4	5	2	6	17	2
" No. 1 West	... 43,200	17.4	189	40	19	16	8	1	1	1	1	6	26	2
" No. 2	... 33,600	16.9	113	33	10	10	8	1	1	1	1	7	24	2
Blanchardstown and Castleknock, part of	... 1,900	2.4	122	25	18	28	37	1	1	1	1	7	12	3
Clontarf & Howth, No. 1, part of	... 9,200	14.5	120	3	1	1	5	18	16	15	28	1	3	1
" No. 2, part of Coecklick & Drumcondra, 1&2 ptof, Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	... 20,400	17.8	116	2.0	40	2	3	2	1	1	1	2	17	2
South City No. 1	... 38,900	15.2	140	39	6	5	4	8	14	34	18	4	24	2
" No. 2	... 14,400	15.8	145	57	17	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	13	2
" No. 3	... 33,900	16.5	189	41	6	6	8	10	23	51	44	2	19	2
Clondalkin, part of	... 6,100	12.5	133	25	4	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	18	1
Grumlin, part of	... 35,000	11.0	103	13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	17	1
Donnybrook, Nos. 1 and 2	... 16,800	15.9	67	14	3	4	6	6	16	18	1	1	6	1
New Kilmimhan, part of	... 1,900	4.2	121	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Rathmines, Nos. 1 and 2	... 41,500	14.6	151	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN ...	415,900	13.1	1,2	1,752	315	66	72	60	74	168	378	439	11	18
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)	225	28	1	7	13	16	38	80	42	2a	.	.	13	7
CITY OF CORK	Cork Urban	12,837	13.4	4	1	1	6	12	18	.	.	1	5	1
No. 1	...	11,293	10.0	0.3	43	28	7	6	9	1	1	4	1	2
" No. 2	...	10,971	10.9	0.7	21	1	2	4	7	1	1	2	1	1
" No. 3	...	8,642	11.6	0.5	30	5	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1
" No. 4	...	5,613	20.0	0.7	28	2	1	4	10	11	1	2	1	1
" No. 5	...	12,005	10.7	0.2	72	1	2	4	12	18	24	.	22	1
" No. 6	...	17,214	16.7	0.2	72	7	1	2	4	12	18	.	43	6
" No. 7	...	558	0.8	16	8	38	80	81	.	1	1	5	43	6
TOTAL CITY OF CORK	78,400	13.1	558	28	5	16	8	38	80	81	.	18	22	18

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926. † See note (t) on page 85. (a) Typhoid fever. (b) Typhus fever. (c) Dysentery.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

Table IV.—Summary of Cases of Infectious Disease notified to the Department of Local Government and Public Health in respect of Saorstát Éireann for the Quarter ended 31st December, 1932.

The letters in the last column denote the following diseases :—A. Acute anterior poliomyelitis. B. Cerebro-spinal meningitis. C. Continued fever. D. Encephalitis lethargica. E. Erysipelas. F. Ill-defined fever. G. Membranous croup. H. Meningitis. J. Ophthalmia neonatorum. K. Pneumonia, influenzal. L. Pneumonia (other forms). M. Puerperal sepsis.

County Boroughs			Ty-phus	Ty- phoid fever	Diph- theria	Scarlet fever	Other Diseases (See note at head of table).
Cork		16	24	1A, 2E, 1K, 5L, 5M.
Dublin	2	49	294	3B, 36E, 70 K and L, 1M.
Limerick		5	150	88
Waterford			5	230
							1E, 4M.

County	Urban	Rural	Ty-phus	Ty- phoid fever	Diph- theria	Scarlet Fever	Other Diseases (See note at head of table).
Carlow	Carlow	Carlow	...		18 9	15 3	1M. 1E, 2L.
Cavan	Belturbet Cavan Cootehill	Ballyborough Bawnboy Castlerahan Cavan Enniskillen No. 2.	...	2 1 1 3 1	12 2 2 8 11	1 1 2 11	1E, 2L.
Clare	Ennis	Ballyvaughan Corrofin Ennistymon Killadysert Limerick No. 2. Scarrif	...		3 4 1 1 1* 6	1 2 2 1	1M.

* Scarletina infection.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—*contd.*

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Typhoid fever	Diphtheria	Scarlet fever	Other Diseases (See note at head of table).
Cork	Fermoy ... Mallow ... Midleton ... Youghal ...			3 1		1 12	1E.
	Bandon ...	1	1	3		12	1L, 2M.
	Bantry ... Castletown ... Charleville ...		1	5 8		4 2	2L, 1M. 1K, 1L. 15L.
	Clonakilty ... Cork ...		2	2		1 9	1A, 3E, 2L, 1M.
	Dunmanway ... Fermoy ... Kanturk ... Kinsale ... Macroom ... Mallow ... Midleton ... Millstreet ... Mitchelstown No. 1 ... Skibbereen ... Youghal No. 1 ...		10 1	1		1 12 1L 1L 2D, 1E.	
Donegal	Buncrana ... Letterkenny ...		2	1		1 2 6 7 6 3 3	
Dublin	Dun Laoghaire ... Howth ...		1	7		21 1 5	1D, 1E, 1M.
	Balrothery ... Celbridge No. 2 ... Dublin North ... Dublin South ... Rathdown No. 1			2 1 7 9 10		7 7 7 28	1L. 1M. 2E.
Galway	Ballinasloe ... Galway ...			13 2		8 16	2L.
	Ballinasloe No. 1 ... Clifden ... Galway ...		1	7		21	
	Glenamaddy ... Loughrea ... Mountbellew ... Oughterard ... Portumna ... Tuam ...		1	2 4		19 21 1 7 2	1E. 1E. 2L. 1E. 1E, 1L.
Kerry	Killarney ... Tralee ...		1	1 2	9 14	3	1E, 2K.
	Cahirciveen ... Dingle ... Killarney ... Listowel ... Tralee ...		23	1 3 1 7	4 2 3	3 10 3	1M. 1M.
Kildare	Naas ...				2	11	2L.
	Athy No. 1 ... Celbridge No. 1 ... Naas No. 1 ...				1 3 15	5 38	2L. 1D, 2M.
Kilkenny	Kilkenny				1 2 8 5	8 4 10 5	
	Ida ... Kilkenny ... Thomastown ... Waterford No. 2						

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—*contd.*

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Typhoid fever	Diphtheria	Scarlet fever	Other Diseases (See note at head of table).
Laoighis ...		Abbeyleix ... Athy No. 2 ... Mountmellick ... Sleevemargy ...		13 2 13 1	2 3 13 1		
Leitrim ...		Carrick-on-Shannon No. 1 Manorhamilton		1 2			
Limerick ...		Croom ... Kilmallock ... Limerick No. 1		2 7 11	9 1E, 3L, 1M. 13	1E, 1L. 2E, 5L.	
		Mitchelstown No. 2 ...				1L.	
		Newcastle ... Rathkeale ...		11 12	24 20	1E, 1L. 1E, 3L.	
		Tipperary No. 2		7	1	1E, 2L.	
Longford ...	Longford ...	Longford ...		1 3*	4 10	1E.	
Louth ...	Drogheda ... Dundalk ...	Ardee No. 1 ... Dundalk ... Louth ...		1 9 1 2	10 17 13 1	1M.	
Mayo ...	Ballina ...	Ballina ... Belmullet ... Castlebar ... Claremorris ... Swinford ...		2 4 3 1 6	1 9 3 1 6	1M. 1M.	
Meath	An Uaimh ...	An Uaimh ... Dunshaughlin ... Oldcastle ... Trim ...		5 2 1 2	2 1 1 3	10 1 3	
Monaghan ...	Carrickmacross ... Castleblayney ... Clones ... Monaghan ...	Carrickmacross ... Castleblayney ... Clones No. 1 ... Monaghan ...		2 1 4	1 1 1	2 1 1	
				10	7 1 6	7 3 1	1L, 1M. 1M. 1E 1L.
Offaly	Birr ... Tullamore ...	Birr No. 1 ... Edenderry No. 1 ... Tullamore ...		1 9 12 3 2	1 1 5† 2	4 5 1	
Roscommon		Athlone No. 2 ... Boyle No. 1 ... Castlerea ... Roscommon ...		1	5† 1 2 5	1 1 1 6	2M.
Sligo ...	Sligo ...	Dromore West ... Sligo ...			2	3 7 3	1E.
Tipperary N.R.	Nenagh ... Thurles ...	Borrisokane ...		1		1 3	

* With Scarlatina infection.

† One case of mixed infection, Diphtheria and Scarlatina.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—*contd.*

County	Urban	Rural	Ty-phus	Ty- phoid fever	Diph- theria	Scar- let fever	Other Diseases (See note at head of table)	
Tipperary S.R.	Clonmel Tipperary	Carrick-on-Suir No. 1. Clogheen ...	2	2	2	2		
Waterford ...		Carrick-on-Suir No. 2 Lismore ... Waterford No. 1 Youghal No. 2	2	1	22	6		
Westmeath	Athlone ...	Athlone No. 1 Coole ... Delvin ... Mullingar ...	1	1	2	1		
Wexford ...	New Ross Wexford	Enniscorthy ... Gorey ... Wexford ...	3	1	8	1 M. 1 E.		
Wicklow ...	Bray Wicklow ...	Baltinglass No. 1 Bathdrum ... Shillelagh ...	3	4	17	8 K.		
TOTALS:		County Boroughs ...	2	54	465	636	1 A, 3 B, 42 E, 79 K & L, 14 M.	
		Urban Districts ...	1	12	105	189	1 D, 5 E, 8 K, 4 L, 3 M.	
		Rural Districts ...	24	73	375	594	3 A, 5 D, 24 E, 3 K, 58 L, 21 M.	
		Total for all Districts ...	27	139	945	1,399	4 A, 3 B, 6 D, 71 E, 152 K & L, 38 M.	

TABLE VII.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the QUARTER (13 weeks) ENDED SATURDAY, 31st December, 1932.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous quarter	Admitted during quarter	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment on above date
Typhoid fever ...	25	45	32	6	32
Typhus ...	•	1	•	1	•
Small-pox ...	•	•	•	•	•
Measles ...	12	100	65	12	35
Scarlet fever ...	150	295	326	6	113*
Diphtheria ...	74	282	223	31	102
Pneumonia ...	23	105	85	17	26

*Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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The Deaths Registered during the Quarter include

PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.	Area in Statute Acres	Numbers Registered		Deaths from																									
		Births.	Deaths.	Principal Epidemic Diseases			Tubercular Diseases			Inquest Cases			Deaths in Public Institutions			No. of successful marriages	No. of successful deaths												
Population Census 1926.		Infants under 1 year	Persons 65 years and upwards	Typhoid Fever	Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping- cough	Diphtheria	Dysentery	Cholera and Enteritis 2 years and under	Pulmonary Diseases	Other Diseases	Cancer	Deafness	No. of successful marriages	No. of successful deaths												
STATISTICAL STATEMENT	EIREANIA (b)	17,024,481	2,971,092	3,245	13,034	9,644	957	4,263	35	4	39	27	43	110	2	134	147	575	144	777	227	2,758	1,826	8,384					
Carlow	221,485	34,476	31	134	120	13	71	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	2	8	1	22	29	75						
Dublin	208,920	100,528	126	285	360	40	149	2	2	28	1	1	1	1	1	3	26	1	29	17	131	29	215						
City of Dublin	18,781	405,126	692	2,681	1,614	320	445	9	22	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	42	12	124	18	113	61	18	1,657					
Kildare	418,644	58,028	66	261	183	22	75	17	106	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	45	6	6	15	54	18	15	1,223					
Kilkenny	509,470	70,990	61	294	247	17	106	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	15	3	18	10	17	67	39	1,127					
Laois	482,892	51,540	34	204	164	12	82	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	12	2	13	1	1	21	45	1,162					
Longford	237,935	33,847	44	161	143	10	94	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	12	1	20	1	16	7	60	51	100				
Louth	202,814	62,739	57	248	210	19	94	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	12	1	20	1	16	7	60	23	98				
Meath	507,816	62,969	63	238	209	15	100	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	10	1	2	9	3	20	8	54	29	66			
Offaly	433,637	52,592	50	213	162	10	78	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	10	1	2	10	3	24	3	64	40	144			
Westmeath	455,604	56,818	71	245	212	19	103	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	10	1	2	10	5	24	8	63	59	46			
Wexford	580,894	9,534	117	438	330	35	140	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	10	1	2	10	6	21	5	63	59	46			
Wicklow	500,244	57,391	65	213	187	13	72	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	11	3	18	4	2	52	15	118					
LEINSTER	4,851,136	1,145,092	1,486	5,615	4,150	542	1,602	12	2	34	15	19	52	1	67	44	258	44	258	55	333	115	119	1,438	416	3,141			
Clare	787,768	93,064	92	379	309	18	167	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	17	1	1	8	14	35	3	95	80	201			
Cork	1,840,905	282,257	228	1,062	864	76	377	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	3	18	2	24	6	65	18	16	273	157		
Cork Co. Borogh	2,685	178,290	144	493	266	28	84	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	3	18	2	24	6	65	18	16	273	157		
Kerry	1,161,728	140,171	160	591	447	34	219	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	6	1	6	1	29	6	30	6	17	95	135	
Limerick	661,573	100,895	89	431	289	36	133	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	12	1	11	7	22	9	15	57	56	80	135		
Limerick Co. Boro.	2,386	33,448	63	270	125	12	86	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	7	1	12	3	12	9	15	40	238		
Tipperary S.R.	403,256	89,615	72	282	212	19	95	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	2	14	1	19	1	19	7	12	43	37	154		
Waterford	453,051	51,915	51	364	272	23	146	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	17	4	17	4	24	7	9	18	51	26	146		
Waterford Co. Boro	1,438	26,647	39	154	110	18	36	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	14	1	11	1	1	5	4	11	1	47	2	16	
MUNSTER	5,962,803	969,902	1,019	4,157	3,069	274	1,372	11	2	2	7	7	7	7	7	37	1	51	35	190	42	290	63	82	910	542	3,057		
Galway	1,407,630	169,366	173	671	526	39	266	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	36	13	36	14	15	110	188	441					
Leftrum	1,370,774	55,907	37	172	690	155	157	13	77	4	1	1	1	1	1	2	8	8	2	2	7	26	12	13	1	53	106		
Mayo	608,540	83,556	64	292	217	24	122	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	11	1	12	4	12	4	8	12	9	67	197	358	
Sligo	443,928	71,388	47	272	185	12	94	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	4	4	4	18	1	5	23	59	108			
CONNAUGHT	4,230,822	552,907	476	2,117	1,517	89	786	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11	15	15	11	29	85	31	113	34	38	264	583	1,163	
Cavan	407,162	82,452	71	303	276	10	150	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	4	3	1	8	14	2	27	5	7	50	87	202
Donegal	1,103,573	152,308	135	639	433	25	249	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	6	1	1	23	29	5	15	4	2	58	153	686
Monaghan	318,985	65,131	58	240	193	17	108	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	2	1	1	28	23	5	15	4	2	38	45	132
ULSTER (part of) NORTHERN IRELAND (c)	1,979,720	30,091	264	1,145	908	52	508	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	10	6	1	5	39	42	16	71	15	13	146	285	1,020
(a) Including accidental deaths, homicides, and suicides. (b) The returns for Balbriggan District in Rathovery, S.R.D., Coaltaff and Tinnahoe Districts in Shillelagh S.R.D., Rathcoole District in Fennelly, S.R.D., and Loughgall District in Callan S.R.D. (c) For Kilkenny and Newtowbarry Districts in Emursothy S.R.D., Coaltaff and Tinnahoe Districts in Shillelagh S.R.D., Rathcoole District in Fennelly, S.R.D., Rathcoole District in Callan S.R.D., and Loughgall District in Rathovery S.R.D. Donoval S.R.D. not having been received in time for Press, the number of Births and Deaths registered in the corresponding quarter of 1931 have been adopted.																													

TABLE IX.—MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS, &c.—Fourth Quarter, 1932. SUPERINTENDENT REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS ARRANGED BY PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.

The Deaths Registered during the Quarter include														
PROVINCE OF LEINSTER	CARLOW.	Numbers Registered			Deaths of Infants under 1 year			Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases			Deaths from			
		Population Census 1926.	Marriages.	Births.	Deaths.*		Typhoid Fever		Measles		Scarlet Fever		Whooping-cough	
					Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	
SUPERINTENDENT-REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.	Area in Statute Acres.													
DUBLIN.	221,485	24,476	31	134	129	13	71	•	•	2	•	2	29	
Balrothery, part of Rathdown	84,405	19,336	22	53	69	6	25	•	•	1	•	7	75	
Dublin, part of Rathdown	9,566	31,058	30	102	12	38	22	•	1	1	10	4	31	
DUBLIN.	50,134	74	134	189	74	22	88	•	1	2	11	7	115	
DUBLIN, part of Kildare.	18,781	405,126	692	2,681	1,614	320	445	9	30	5	28	1	69	
Athy.	130,460	16,690	32	94	50	5	24	•	•	1	•	5	1	
Celbridge	53,763	8,116	9	27	19	4	7	•	•	2	2	2	32	
Naas	234,481	33,222	25	140	114	13	44	•	3	4	5	3	8	
KILKENNY.	62,160	7,370	3	33	31	4	8	•	•	1	1	4	55	
Callan.	57,867	8,745	6	35	29	3	12	•	•	1	1	3	32	
Kilkenny.	133,462	23,569	30	113	73	6	24	1	1	2	2	3	130	
Thomasstown	22,544	27,903	19	101	101	4	57	•	1	1	1	1	25	
Urlingford	36,528	33,397	3	12	13	•	8	•	•	1	7	1	13	
LAOGHIS.	200,641	22,190	8	83	74	3	38	•	•	1	2	9	22	
Abbeyleix	224,251	29,341	26	121	90	9	44	•	•	2	7	4	7	
Mountrath.													75	
LONGFORD.													22	
Ballynahon.	69,894	7,796	4	94	28	2	14	•	•	1	1	2	6	
Graha.	84,678	13,335	22	43	44	18	29	•	•	4	1	3	21	
Longford.	103,423	18,716	18	94	71	5	41	•	2	1	4	5	42	
LOUTH.													32	
Ardee.													10	
Drogheda.	67,239	11,030	3	38	31	5	18	•	•	1	3	3	5	
Dundalk.	41,979	18,278	25	89	71	5	29	•	•	4	6	2	26	
DUNDALK.	93,596	33,431	29	108	121	9	47	•	•	1	5	5	28	
MEATH.													14	
Dunshaughlin.	106,757	7,776	17	24	25	1	9	•	•	1	3	2	1	
Kells.	13,420	13,108	11	56	56	11	24	•	•	1	1	6	14	
Navan.	182,153	22,708	14	78	70	6	32	•	•	1	2	7	25	
Oldcastle.	44,009	4,876	14,501	141,387	14,501	16	63	•	•	1	1	2	2	

27. Birr	248,866	26	74	5	11	1	1	29	15
28. Edenderry	... 81,156	28	29	1	11	1	6	6	5
29. Tullamore	... 103,615	25	25	4	24	2	9	9	14
WESTMEATH.									
30. Athlone	98,984	22	71	74	5	40	13	13	43
31. Delvin	110,936	22	44	31	1	13	50	27	52
32. Mullingar	225,634	27	130	107	13	50	.	33	95
33. Enniscorthy	193,384	36	155	108	8	40	20	2	8
34. Gorey	130,103	14,358	6	48	6	20	19	1	14
35. New Ross	124,397	20,141	30	79	9	30	50	21	18
36. Wexford	133,010	31,471	45	152	12	50	.	.	.
WICKLOW.									
37. Baltinglass	154,966	13	40	34	1	19	51	1	32
38. Rathdrum	262,200	39,394	45	132	12	1	2	3	86
39. Shillelagh	83,078	7,804	7	22	21	.	.	.	.
II. PROVINCE OF MUNSTER.									
40. Ballyvaughan	71,629	4	10	11	1	6	.	.	45
41. Corofin	61,381	3	12	9	1	4	.	.	2
42. Bunnis	113,324	18,732	20	100	64	1	14	2	14
43. Ennis	99,600	15,137	12	55	26	1	1	4	25
44. Killaloyset	62,615	7,415	5	35	20	1	1	4	62
45. Kilrush	137,507	23,612	31	89	8	48	4	10	30
46. Scariff	241,712	23,554	17	78	81	7	3	6	30
CORK.									
47. Bandon	101,482	11	56	52	4	21	1	1	124
48. Bantry	107,277	11,322	13	41	3	1	1	1	9
49. Castlehaven	74,296	9,362	3	34	28	1	2	1	1
50. Clonakilty	80,994	15,693	5	39	15	1	1	5	44
51. Cork (part of)	107,841	56,090	53	64	19	72	1	2	39
52. Dunmanway	103,920	11,377	3	208	19	23	1	7	97
53. Fermoy	106,733	26,765	31	38	44	4	1	3	47
54. Kanturk	185,659	21,421	19	123	61	4	1	6	10
55. Kinsale	80,129	12,650	4	28	38	3	1	5	59
56. Macroom	179,153	19,080	11	69	51	25	1	1	3
57. Mallow	169,102	24,468	27	88	76	7	1	1	60
58. Midleton	109,380	24,883	12	64	46	23	1	4	103
59. Millstreet	74,939	9,555	9	37	30	18	1	1	14
60. Skibbereen	115,371	20,656	12	74	57	3	1	7	16
61. Skull	57,669	7,060	5	20	23	1	1	1	7
62. Youghal	36,960	9,181	4	36	23	3	1	3	20
Cork County Borough.									
63. Cork (part of)	2,685	78,490	144	493	266	28	84	2	353
KERRY.									
64. Cahirciveen	198,101	18,224	16	45	68	3	35	1	51
65. Dingle	126,454	15,855	1	52	36	14	18	1	19
66. Killarney	198,416	11,432	9	45	27	18	1	1	6
67. Killarney	251,430	33,257	15	127	96	9	46	1	213
68. Listowel	165,500	29,552	75	166	89	7	47	5	34
69. Tralee	221,807	40,851	44	156	131	13	59	2	199

* Deaths in each S. R. D. corrected for those occurring in Institutions.

TABLE IX.—MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS, &c.—Fourth Quarter, 1932.—*continued.*

The Deaths Registered during the Quarter include									
SUPERINTENDENT, REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.	Area in Statute Acres.	Population Census 1926.	Deaths.*	Births.	Deaths under 1 year	Deaths of Infants under 1 year	Numbers Registered		
							Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases	Deaths from Tuberculosi	Total Deaths
LIMERICK.									
70. Croom	83,369	10,087	8	78	27	3	8	6	28
71. Killaloe	164,284	2,122	27	85	81	8	44	5	57
72. Limerick (pt. of)	25,417	2,323	15	92	76	10	38	12	16
73. Newcastle	142,840	23,884	28	98	56	10	23	15	13
74. Rathkeale	127,199	17,223	11	78	49	6	20	14	12
LIMERICK (Co., Boro', 2 years)	2,386	39,448	63	270	125	12	3	2	78
LEITRIM, N.R.									
76. Ballyshannon	109,637	9,213	11	28	20	5	1	1	28
77. Carrick-on-Shannon	182,362	20,792	30	88	78	4	37	2	57
78. Roscrea	57,541	7,586	10	59	30	4	12	1	50
79. Tullamore	142,655	22,054	21	107	84	10	35	1	76
LEITRIM, S.B.									
80. Carrick-on-Suir	26,118	6,893	6	25	22	10	1	1	34
81. Castlebar	222,782	26,000	28	130	87	8	42	2	41
82. Cleighan	117,415	12,348	12	54	54	6	32	1	23
83. Clonmel	47,315	4,777	10	55	36	1	21	1	35
84. Tipperary	144,414	22,352	25	84	73	8	41	1	21
WATERFORD.									
85. Dungarvan	144,323	18,287	15	39	21	12	1	1	35
86. Kilmeathomas	64,395	6,321	2	13	24	2	6	1	14
87. Lismore	97,178	10,892	14	91	35	1	1	1	54
88. Waterford (pt. of)	146,555	16,505	20	58	56	6	32	1	43
I. PROVINCE OF CONNAUGHT									
GALWAY.									
90. Ballinasloe	155,542	18,602	23	69	59	2	2	5	36
91. Clifden	193,602	13,760	5	46	42	3	23	1	19
92. Galway	138,512	32,294	50	196	115	1	48	1	20
93. Gileannanadally	82,958	11,639	20	37	33	2	19	1	34
94. Gort	106,221	10,750	10	32	34	1	19	1	107
95. Loughrea	118,917	19,257	8	56	58	1	1	1	13
96. Monaghan	72,439	9,114	1	36	29	1	16	1	13
97. Oughterard	172,138	14,494	18	38	53	6	22	2	45
98. Portumna	77,262	8,356	9	41	24	15	1	4	15
99. Tuam	208,558	29,100	29	120	77	1	1	1	11

YEARLY SUMMARY
OF
MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS.
Year 1932.

(Note—the figures are provisional—See Note on second page of Quarterly Return)

GENERAL SUMMARY.

The rate in 1932 per 1,000 of the population represented by the **number of Marriages** (13,085) registered in Saorstat Eireann was 4·4, as against 4·4 in 1931, and an average of 4·7 for the ten years 1922-31.

The **Birth-rate** in Saorstat Eireann during the year, based on 56,167 births, was 18·9 per 1,000 of the estimated population, as against 19·3 per 1,000 for 1931 and an average of 20·2 per 1,000 for the ten years 1922-31.

The birth-rate for the city of Dublin was 25·3 per 1,000; for the borough of Dun Laoghaire, 16·7; for the county borough of Cork, 21·4; for Limerick, 25·8; and for Waterford 26·1.

For Northern Ireland the birth-rate was 20·0; for England and Wales, 15·3; and for Scotland, 18·6.

The rate for Belfast was 21·5; for Londonderry, 26·1; for London, 14·3; for Glasgow 20·6; and for Edinburgh, 15·5.

The **rate** in respect of **Deaths** registered in Saorstat Eireann, numbering 42,957, was 14·4 per 1,000, as compared with 14·5 in 1931 and an average also of 14·5 for the ten years 1922-31.

The death-rate for the city of Dublin was 15·7 per 1,000; for the borough of Dun Laoghaire, 14·3; for Cork, 15·8; for Limerick, 15·7; and for Waterford, 18·3.

The corresponding death-rate for Northern Ireland was 14·2; for England and Wales, 12·0; and for Scotland, 13·5.

For Belfast the death-rate was 14·0; for Londonderry, 14·4; for London, 12·3; for Glasgow, 14·5; and for Edinburgh, 13·5.

The mortality rate represented by deaths in Saorstat Eireann from the **Principal Epidemic Diseases** (comprising typhoid fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery and diarrhoeal diseases) was 0·6 per 1,000, as compared with 0·5 in 1931 and an average of 0·5 for the five years 1927-31.

The death-rate from **Influenza** was 0·5 per 1,000, which was also the rate in 1931 and the average rate for the five years 1927-31.

Deaths from **Tuberculosis** (all forms) afforded a rate of 1·2 per 1,000, as compared with 1·3 in 1931, and an average of 1·4 for the five years 1927-31.

The rate for **Pulmonary Tuberculosis** was 0·9 as against 1·0 in 1931.

Deaths from **Puerperal Conditions** represent a rate of 4·2 per 1,000 births registered during the year (1·4 per 1,000 from puerperal sepsis and 2·8 per 1,000 from other puerperal conditions), as compared with 4·3 in 1931 and an average of 4·5 for the five years 1927-31.

The **Infant Mortality** rate (deaths under one year of age per 1,000 births registered) was 71, the rate for the year 1931 being 69, and the average for the ten years 1922-31, 70.

The estimated Population in the middle of 1932 (2,974,000) shows an increase of approximately 2,000 as compared with the result of the Census taken in April, 1926, viz., 2,971,992. This increase represents the difference between the balance of migrants outwards to places out of Europe and not within the Mediterranean Sea, amounting to 97,556, and the natural increase (excess of births over deaths) numbering 99,898.

As compared with 1931 the estimated population in 1932 shows an increase of 17,000.

During the year 1932 the Natural Increase was 13,210, as compared with 14,139 in 1931, and an average of 15,968 for the five years 1927-31.

Emigrants numbered 871, as against 1,557 in 1931, and an average of 18,150 for the five years 1927-31, while the number of Immigrants was 5,044, as compared with 4,102 in 1931, the average for the five years 1927-31 being 3,022.

MARRIAGES.

The number of marriages registered in Saorstát Eireann during 1932 was 13,085, representing 4·4 per 1,000 of the estimated population. In the first quarter 3,181 were registered; in the second, 3,181; in the third, 3,478; and in the fourth, 3,245; affording rates per 1,000 of the population of 4·3, 4·3, 4·7, and 4·4, respectively (see Table I, page 81). Of the 13,085 marriages, 12,313 were those of Catholics, representing 4·5 per 1,000 of the Catholic population; and 772 related to all other denominations, equivalent to 3·5 per 1,000 of the population other than Catholic. The former shows a decrease of 0·3 per 1,000, and the latter a decrease of 0·8 per 1,000, as compared with the average of the ten years 1922-31.

BIRTHS.

The births registered in 1932 numbered 56,167, 28,833 being those of males and 27,334 of females, or 1,055 of the former to 1,000 of the latter, and represent a rate of 18·9 per 1,000 of the population, as against an annual average of 60,014 births and a rate of 20·2 per 1,000 for the ten years, 1922-31.

The births recorded for urban areas amounted to 20,524 and for rural areas 35,643, the former being equivalent to 23·1 per 1,000 and the latter to 17·1, in comparison with the corresponding rates of 23·2 and 17·6 in 1931.

For the twelve Principal Towns, the birth-rate was 24·1 per 1,000, which was also the rate in the preceding year. The aggregate for the remaining urban districts was 19·8, as against 20·3 in 1931.

DEATHS.

The deaths registered in Saorstát Eireann during the year 1932, numbered 42,957, consisting of 21,822 deaths of males and 21,135 of females, and are equivalent to a rate of 14·4 per 1,000 of the estimated population, as against 14·5 in 1931 and an average rate of 14·5 for the ten years, 1922-31. (Table I, page 81.)

The death-rate per 1,000 for all urban districts (the population of which is about 29 per cent. of Saorstát Eireann) was 15·4 and for all rural districts 14·0, as compared with 15·5 and 14·1 respectively, in 1931, and averages of 15·3 and 14·1 for the five years 1927-31.

For the twelve Principal Towns the rate was 15·7, which was also the rate in 1931; the average rate for the period 1927-31 was 15·6.

The individual towns with their rates per 1,000 of population, arranged in order from lowest to highest, are as follows:—Sligo, 13·5; Dun Laoghaire, 14·3; Kilkenny, 14·4; Tralee, 14·6; Dublin, 15·7; Limerick, 15·7; Cork, 15·8; Dundalk, 15·9; Galway, 16·2; Drogheda, 16·4; Wexford, 17·2; and Waterford, 18·3.

For the remaining urban districts (those with less than 10,000 population) the general death-rate in 1932 was 14·2, as against 14·7 in 1931.

CAUSES OF DEATH.

In Table II, page 82, the number of deaths from some of the principal causes is shown for the years 1927-32, with the rates represented thereby.

Principal Epidemic Diseases.—Deaths from these causes in 1932 are equivalent to 0·55 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with an average of 0·52 for the five years 1927-31.

The rise in the rate for 1932 is chiefly due to an increase of 87 deaths from diphtheria (or 30 per cent. of the average).

Of the total deaths from this disease (377) 82 were recorded for Dublin city, 38 for Cork county, 22 for Limerick city and 40 for Galway county. With the exception of Limerick, these areas also experienced the highest numbers of deaths from diphtheria in 1931. Increases also occurred in deaths from scarlet fever (28 per cent.) and diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years (4 per cent.). Deaths from whooping-cough decreased by 9 per cent. and dysentery caused 3 deaths as compared with an average of 7. Deaths from the remaining epidemic diseases were approximately the same as the average.

Of 551 deaths of children from diarrhoea and enteritis 374 (or 18·2 per 1,000 births) were recorded for urban areas and 177 (or 5·0 per 1,000 births) for rural areas. For urban areas of 10,000 population and upwards (twelve principal towns) the mortality was 19·5 per 1,000 births, as compared with 13·2 per 1,000 births for urban districts having less than 10,000 inhabitants.

Table 2 shows that the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases in the counties and county boroughs varied from 0·1 for Clare, and 0·2 for Roscommon and Cavan counties to 2·2 for Waterford county borough, 1·2 for Limerick county borough, 1·1 for the city of Dublin, and 1·0 for Cork county borough.

The death-rate from these diseases in relation to the twelve principal towns in the aggregate was 1·1 per 1,000, the rates fluctuating from 0·4 for Dun Laoghaire to 2·2 for Waterford. The 487 deaths from all causes for the latter city included 25 from measles, one from scarlet fever, 7 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, and 22 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. (Table 3.)

Influenza.—The number of deaths registered from influenza was 1,595, as against an average of 1,340 during 1927-31, the respective annual rates being 0·54 and 0·45 per 1,000 of the population. The rate per 1,000 for the aggregate of cities or boroughs and urban districts was 0·4 and for rural districts 0·6.

Of the 1,595 deaths, 831 were registered in the first quarter, 487 in the second, 130 in the third, and 147 in the fourth.

The epidemic which commenced in January would appear to have prevailed throughout the country and to have continued into the second quarter. In Leinster and Munster the mortality from the disease for the year was 0·5 per 1,000, in Connaught 0·6, and in Ulster (part of) 0·7.

The rates for counties and cities varied from 1·4 for Longford, 0·9 for Leitrim, and 0·8 for Wicklow, Kerry, Roscommon and Donegal to 0·1 for Cork county borough, 0·2 for Tipperary, S.R. and 0·3 for the city of Dublin, and Kildare.

Tuberculosis.—Deaths from all forms of the disease numbered 3,579, being equal to 1·2 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with an annual average of 3,990 and a rate of 1·4 for the five years 1927-31. Table 2 shows that the rates in 1932 varied from 1·8 for Cork county borough, 1·7 for the city of Dublin, and 1·6 for Wexford county and 0·8 for the counties of Longford, Leitrim, Roscommon, and Sligo.

For the aggregate of cities or boroughs and urban districts, the death-rate from tuberculosis was 1·5 per 1,000 of the population of these areas, as against 1·1 for all rural districts. The rate for the twelve principal towns was 1·5 per 1,000.

Puerperal Conditions.—The number of deaths attributed to accidents and diseases of pregnancy and childbirth was 235, affording a rate of 4·2 per 1,000 births registered, as compared with an average rate of 4·5 for the preceding five years. (Table II, page 82.)

Of the 235 deaths, 77 were ascribed to puerperal sepsis, or 1·4 per 1,000 births, and 158 to other puerperal conditions, or 2·8 per 1,000.

From Table 2, which shows the mortality for counties and county boroughs and for urban and rural areas in the aggregate, it will be seen that the rates varied from 9·9 for Waterford county, 9·8 for Roscommon and 9·3 for Cavan, to 0·9 for Sligo, 1·2 for Laoighis, and 1·3 for Leitrim.

The aggregate rate per 1,000 births for cities or boroughs and urban districts was 3·8 and for rural districts 4·4, the annual average rates for the five years 1927-31 being 4·0 and 4·8 respectively.

Ages at Death.

Of 42,957 deaths at all ages, 4,010 or 9·3 per cent., were those of infants under one year of age, and 19,526, or 45·5 per cent., were those of persons 65 years and upwards.

The Infant Mortality in 1932 was 71 per 1,000 births registered, as against 69 in 1931, and an average of 70 for the ten years 1922-31. (Table I, page 81.)

Table 2, shows that for cities or boroughs and urban districts in the aggregate, the rate for infant mortality was 97 per 1,000 births and for rural districts 57.

The average rate for urban districts in the five years 1927-31 was 92, and in the case of rural districts, 57.

Deaths in Public Institutions.

Deaths in Institutions numbered 12,090, or 28·1 per cent. of all deaths registered, as compared with 27·2 per cent. in 1931.

Inquests.

There were 1,088 inquests or deaths registered on Coroner's certificates during the year, or 2·5 per cent. of the total deaths registered; the percentage in 1931 was 2·6.

Uncertified Deaths.

The number of deaths in cases in which there was no medical attendant during the last illness, or in which no inquest or post mortem examination through the Coroner was held, was 8,578, or 20·0 per cent. of the total deaths, as against a percentage of 20·5 in 1931.

Vaccination.

As returned by the Registrars, the number of successful primary vaccinations during the year was 36,345, or 64·7 per cent. of the total births registered, the percentage for the year 1931 being 77·1, and for the five years 1927-31, 87·7.

CITY OF DUBLIN.

BIRTHS.

The number of births registered during 1932, exclusive of 1,325 occurring in institutions relating to other localities, was 10,503; the rate per 1,000 of the estimated population represented thereby was 25·3, as compared with 25·0 in 1931. All births registered numbered 11,828, of which 6,076 were boys and 5,752 girls.

DEATHS.

Omitting 892 deaths registered in the city relating to other localities, but including those of city residents registered elsewhere in Saorstat Eireann, the deaths ascribed to the city numbered 6,536, equivalent to a rate of 15·7 per 1,000 of the estimated population, as against 15·8 for the year 1931. The total number of deaths registered in the city was 7,279 (3,611 males and 3,668 females).

The death-rate for the portion of the city north of the Liffey was 15·6 per 1,000, as compared with 15·4 in 1931, the corresponding death-rates for the south side being 15·2 and 15·6 respectively. *The mortality for these portions of the city is derived from figures partially corrected for deaths in institutions, as given in Table 4, which shows the mortality for each Registrar's District, by ages and by some of the principal causes, for the year (52 weeks) ended the 31st December, 1932.*

Causes of Death.

In the following statement is given the number of deaths from all causes by age-periods and from some of the principal causes recorded for the city of Dublin during the years 1931 and 1932, the latter by quarters, with the mortality per 1,000 of the estimated population for each of these years : also infant mortality, mean temperature, rainfall and sunshine.

CAUSES OF DEATH, &c.	Year 1931	NUMBER OF DEATHS					DEATH PER 1,000	RATES 1931	1932			
		1932										
		Total	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	4th Qr.						
Typhoid fever	...	4	14	1	4	9	0.01	0.04				
Typhus	...	2	.	.	.	2	.	0.00				
Small-pox				
Measles	...	223	43	5	5	30	0.54	0.10				
Scarlet fever	...	19	22	8	6	5	0.05	0.05				
Whooping-cough	...	31	123	28	58	28	0.08	0.30				
Diphtheria	...	72	82	18	21	15	0.17	0.20				
Dysentery	...	2	2	1	.	1	0.00	0.00				
Diarrhoea and Enteritis (children under 2 years)	...	139	190	28	26	94	0.34	0.46				
Principal Epidemic Diseases	...	490	478	88	117	147	1.19	1.15				
Influenza	...	122	120	91	9	12	0.30	0.29				
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	...	630	551	157	136	124	1.53	1.32				
Other forms	...	197	144	40	57	29	0.48	0.35				
Cancer	...	450	473	113	129	118	1.09	1.14				
Pneumonia	...	773	647	249	117	76	2.05	1.87	1.56			
Other Respiratory Diseases	...	714	786	332	153	110	1.91	1.73	1.89			
Puerperal Sepsis	...	12	18	7	4	1	6	0.03	0.04			
Other puerperal conditions	...	17	15	5	4	1	5	0.04	0.04			
Violence	...	139	168	33	44	30	61	0.34	0.40			
Other Causes	...	2,987	3,138	921	793	669	755	7.24	7.55			
AGES AT DEATH—												
Under one year	...	967	1,067	267	233	247	320	94*	102*			
1 and under 2	...	399	255	83	60	46	66	} 20.29	} 11.03			
2 " " 5	...	289	237	57	63	44	73					
5 " " 15	...	197	240	64	69	46	61	2.65	3.20			
15 " " 25	...	358	337	97	101	64	75	4.53	4.23			
25 " " 45	...	812	811	262	200	172	177	6.71	6.65			
45 " " 65	...	1,628	1,661	516	392	356	397	22.84	23.11			
65 and over	...	1,881	1,928	690	445	348	445	83.12	84.48			
Deaths from all causes	...	6,531	6,536	2,036	1,563	1,323	1,614	15.84	15.72			
Death-rate per 1,000 of the population	...	15.84	15.72	19.58	15.03	12.72	15.52	.	.			
Infant Mortality (deaths under one year per 1,000 births)	...	94	102	106	85	86	135	.	.			
Mean Temp. (Fahr.) in Phoenix Park	...	47.7°	48.6°	41.4°	48.9°	58.8°	45.4°	.	.			
Rainfall (in inches)	...	31.07	29.61	3.86	7.56	9.57	8.62	.	.			
Bright Sunshine (Mean daily amount in hours)	...	3.5	3.5	2.3	5.5	3.6	2.7	.	.			

*Per 1,000 Births.

CITY OF DUBLIN—*contd.*

Principal Epidemic Diseases.—It will be seen from the foregoing statement that the deaths from this group of causes numbered 478, affording a rate of 1·15 per 1,000 of the population as compared with 1·19 for the preceding year. Increases in the mortality for individual causes as compared with 1931 are shown for all the diseases under this heading, except measles. The largest increases occurred in whooping-cough which caused 123 deaths, as compared with 31 in 1931, and in diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2, which caused 190 deaths, as against 139 in the previous year. On the other hand, deaths from measles decreased from 223 to 43.

In the north side of the city the mortality from whooping-cough was 33 per 100,000 of the population, as compared with 4 in 1931, as against 26 and 10 respectively, for the south side.

Diphtheria mortality in the north side was represented by a rate of 22 per 100,000, and in the south by 17, the respective rates for north and south in 1931 being 20 and 15.

Influenza.—Deaths from this cause for the city numbered 120, equivalent to 0·29 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with 0·30 per 1,000 in 1931. As derived from Table 4, the rate for the north side was 0·30 per 1,000 and for the south 0·26 per 1,000.

In 1931 the rate for the north side was 0·34 and for the south 0·25.

Tuberculosis.—The number of deaths from all forms of the disease was 695, representing 1·67 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with 2·01 for the preceding year.

Of the total, 551 were ascribed to pulmonary tuberculosis, or 1·32 per 1,000 of the population, and 144 to other forms of the disease, or 0·35 per 1,000. In 1931, the corresponding rates were 1·53 and 0·48.

Ages at Death.

Of 6,536 deaths at all ages 1,559 (or 23·9 per cent.) were those of children under 5 years of age, and 1,923 (or 29·5 per cent.) of persons 65 years of age or upwards, the corresponding percentages for 1931 being 25·3 and 28·8.

The **Infant Mortality**, based on 1,067 deaths of infants under one year of age, was 102 per 1,000 births, as compared with 94 in 1931. For the north side of the city the infant mortality rate in 1932 was 108 per 1,000 births, and for the south 98.

Deaths in Public Institutions.

The deaths of Dublin residents which occurred in public institutions numbered 3,070, or 47·0 per cent. of the total deaths.

Cases of Infectious Diseases.

The number of cases of infectious diseases notified in the city during the year was 2,423, as shown in Table 5, while Table 6 gives the number of cases of certain diseases under treatment in Dublin hospitals during the same period.

TABLE I.—**MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS** Registered during the Year ended 31st December, 1932, IN SAORSTAT FIREANN, shown by PROVINCES AND COUNTIES, with Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, Inquest Cases, Deaths in Public Institutions; Uncertified Deaths, and the number of VAUGINATIONS throughout NORTHERN IRELAND. (*Deaths in Institutions throughout the Areas in which the deceased normally*

The Deaths Registered during the year include									
Numbers Registered		Deaths of		Principal Epidemic Diseases					
PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.		Marriages	Deaths.	Influenza			Tuberculosis		
Deaths under 65 years old and Pneumonia		1 Year	1 Year	Pneumonia	Tuberculosis	Other Forms	Cancer	Chronic Disease	Diseases of Heart and Lungs
Deaths from		Deaths from		Influenza	Pneumonia	Others	Cancer	Chronic Disease	Diseases of Heart and Lungs
Deaths in Public Institutions		Deaths of Persons under 65 years old		Influenza	Pneumonia	Others	Cancer	Chronic Disease	Diseases of Heart and Lungs
Uncertified Deaths		Deaths from		Influenza	Pneumonia	Others	Cancer	Chronic Disease	Diseases of Heart and Lungs
SAORSTAT EIREANN ...		13,085	50,167	42,957	4,010	19,526	83	8	247
Carlow	...	144	616	553	55	281	...	1	14
Dublin	...	543	1,219	1,454	1,55	1,926	14	2	22
Kildare	...	2,804	11,828	6,536	1,067	1,920	85	22	123
Laois	...	2,256	1,987	1,820	1,92	1,347	1	5	3
Limerick	...	254	1,294	1,033	92	528	5	3	4
Longford	...	162	843	763	65	361	1	1	12
Monaghan	...	139	613	512	28	280	2	2	8
Offaly	...	261	1,701	1,077	88	439	2	2	14
South	...	236	1,021	958	78	451	5	7	13
Waterford	...	916	899	695	54	333	5	14	9
Westmeath	...	237	978	886	71	403	2	3	10
Wexford	...	396	1,777	1,590	138	717	7	3	4
Wicklow	...	295	936	887	49	393	1	1	3
Total of Leinster ...		5,887	24,256	17,764	2,025	7,028	32	2	96
Clare	...	307	1,489	1,243	72	707	2	1	9
Co. Cork	...	974	4,519	3,981	309	1,880	11	1	18
Co. Donegal	...	703	2,032	1,243	158	400	1	1	17
Co. Kerry	...	508	2,339	1,333	143	62	5	3	14
Co. Limerick	...	373	1,835	1,369	168	634	2	8	4
Co. Monaghan	...	325	1,169	618	93	165	2	5	5
Co. Tipperary, N.R.	...	267	1,217	896	79	417	1	4	5
Co. Tipperary, S.R.	...	330	1,525	1,179	106	571	3	5	8
Watford Co. Borough	...	193	767	52	91	158	.	25	1
Total of Munster ...		4,188	17,871	13,728	1,271	6,297	29	4	56
Galway	...	556	3,173	2,357	183	1,248	4	1	36
Geltain	...	204	782	787	36	448	7	2	9
Mayo	...	578	2,873	2,024	113	1,111	3	1	10
Roscommon	...	305	1,228	1,075	50	602	1	1	4
Sligo	...	243	1,134	992	537	1	1	3	1
Total of Connaught ...		1,886	9,190	7,235	452	3,940	15	2	66
Leban	...	325	1,285	1,209	60	615	2	1	5
Donegal	...	558	2,501	2,079	140	1,173	4	1	1
Monaghan	...	1,064	942	472	62	472	1	1	1
Total of Ulster (part of) ...		1,124	4,850	4,230	262	2,261	7	7	29

MORTALITY BY COUNTIES, &c.

TABLE 2.—Showing for Counties, etc., the DEATH RATES from all Causes, and from some of the Principal Causes, per 1,000 of the population, with the mortality per 1,000 births represented by deaths of infants and deaths from puerperal conditions, during the YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1932.

(See Note on page 74.)

COUNTIES AND COUNTY BOROUGHS BY PROVINCES WITH URBAN AND RURAL GROUPINGS	DEATH-RATES PER 1,000 POPULATION † FROM					DEATHS OF INFANTS UNDER ONE YEAR PER 1,000 BIRTHS‡	DEATHS FROM PUERPERAL CONDITIONS				
	ALL CAUSES	PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES*	TUBERCULOSIS		INFLU- ENZA		TOTAL		PUERPERAL SEPSIS		
			ALL FORMS	PUL- MONARY			NUMBER	RATE PER 1,000 BIRTHS‡	NUMBER	RATE PER 1,000 BIRTHS‡	
SACRSTAT EIREANN	14.4	0.6	1.2	0.9	0.5	71	235	4.2	77	1.4	
Carlow County	16.0	0.4	1.2	0.9	0.7	89	3	4.9	1	1.6	
Dublin	14.5	0.5	1.3	1.0	0.4	86	7	3.9	4	2.2	
City of Dublin	15.7	1.1	1.7	1.3	0.3	102	33	3.1	18	1.7	
Kildare County	14.1	0.4	1.5	1.1	0.3	78	4	3.7	2	1.8	
Kilkenny	15.5	0.7	1.1	0.8	0.6	74	3	2.4	.	.	
Laoighis	14.8	0.3	1.5	1.1	0.6	77	1	1.2	.	.	
Longford	12.8	0.3	0.8	0.5	1.4	46	4	6.5	2	3.3	
Louth	16.1	0.7	1.2	1.1	0.4	75	8	6.8	1	0.9	
Meath	15.2	0.6	1.1	0.9	0.4	76	5	4.9	2	2.0	
Offaly	13.2	0.5	1.0	0.6	0.6	60	3	3.3	1	1.1	
Westmeath	15.6	0.4	1.3	1.0	0.6	73	5	5.1	.	.	
Wexford	16.6	0.3	1.6	1.3	0.6	78	8	4.5	1	0.6	
Wicklow	15.4	0.3	1.4	1.1	0.8	51	2	2.1	.	.	
LEINSTER	15.5	0.7	1.4	1.1	0.5	86	86	3.7	32	1.4	
Clare County	13.1	0.1	0.9	0.8	0.5	48	8	5.4	.	.	
Cork	13.9	0.4	1.1	0.9	0.4	63	20	4.1	7	1.4	
Cork County Borough	15.8	1.0	1.8	1.4	0.1	94	7	4.1	3	1.8	
Kerry County	13.0	0.4	1.1	0.9	0.8	56	9	3.5	3	1.2	
Limerick	13.6	0.5	1.2	0.9	0.7	84	8	4.0	2	1.0	
Limerick Co. Borough	15.7	1.2	0.9	0.8	0.5	91	7	6.9	.	.	
Tipperary County N.R.	15.0	0.4	1.2	0.9	0.4	65	6	4.9	1	0.8	
Tipperary County S.R.	14.5	0.6	1.1	0.8	0.2	70	9	5.9	.	.	
Waterford County	15.0	0.4	1.0	0.8	0.6	64	8	9.9	1	1.2	
Waterford Co. Borough	18.3	2.2	1.2	0.9	0.7	131	6	8.6	6	8.6	
MUNSTER	14.2	0.5	1.1	0.9	0.5	84	88	5.8	23	1.5	
Galway County	13.9	0.6	1.1	0.8	0.7	53	15	4.7	4	1.3	
Leitrim	14.1	0.3	0.8	0.7	0.9	46	1	1.3	.	.	
Mayo	11.7	0.3	1.0	0.8	0.4	39	8	2.8	4	1.4	
Roscommon	12.9	0.2	0.8	0.6	0.8	41	12	9.8	3	2.4	
Sligo	13.9	0.4	0.8	0.5	0.6	62	1	0.9	.	.	
CONNAUGHT	13.1	0.4	1.0	0.7	0.6	49	37	4.0	11	1.2	
Cavan County	14.7	0.2	0.9	0.8	0.7	47	12	9.3	6	4.7	
Donegal	13.8	0.4	1.0	0.7	0.8	56	5	2.0	1	0.4	
Monaghan	14.5	0.5	1.0	0.6	0.6	58	7	6.6	4	3.8	
ULSTER (part of)	14.1	0.4	1.0	0.7	0.7	54	24	4.9	11	2.3	
Twelve Principal Town Districts	15.7	1.1	1.5	1.2	0.3	101	64	3.9	29	1.8	
Urban Districts under 10,000 Population	14.2	0.6	1.5	1.1	0.4	80	14	3.4	2	0.5	
Aggregate Urban Districts	15.4	1.0	1.5	1.2	0.4	97	78	3.8	31	1.5	
Aggregate Rural Districts	14.0	0.4	1.1	0.8	0.6	57	157	4.4	46	1.3	

* Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

† The rates per 1,000 population for Saorstát Eireann and the City of Dublin are calculated on the estimated population in the middle of 1932; those for the other areas on the population according to the Census of 1926.

‡ The rates per 1,000 births, for the administrative counties of Dublin, Cork, Limerick and Waterford are based on births registered plus a proportion (derived from the record of transfers for 1930) of the births registered in the respective county boroughs relating to other localities.

URBAN DISTRICTS, 1932.

TABLE 3.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the Year 1932, relating to Urban Districts, including County Boroughs; the number of Deaths from some of the principal causes, and the number of Uncertified Deaths; also similar particulars of Births and Deaths, exclusive of those occurring in public institutions belonging to other localities, for BIRDFORD and LONDONDERRY.

PROVINCES AND URBAN DISTRICTS		BIRTHS		DEATHS		Caused by												In Public Institutions	No. Uncertified								
		Total Number	Principals Epidemic Diseases	All Causes	Deaths	Principal Epidemic Diseases						Tuberculosis	Cancer	Violence	Inquest Cases +												
SÄOERSTÄT EIREANN †		18.9	14.4	0.6	56,167	42,957	4,010	19,526	83	8	247	86	294	377	3	551	1,505	2,798	781	3,176	949	12,000	8,578				
Total Rural Districts	...	17.1	14.0	0.4	35,643	29,296	2,024	15,102	59	6	128	53	113	208	1	177	1,273	1,739	489	2,112	607	716	6,450	8,180			
Total Urban Districts	...	23.1	15.4	1.0	20,324	13,661	1,986	4,424	24	2	119	33	181	169	2	374	322	1,053	292	1,063	342	372	5,031	389			
Total 12 Principal Towns	...	24.1	15.7	1.1	16,427	10,713	1,653	3,324	19	2	95	33	167	143	2	320	233	828	218	820	270	300	4,614	221			
Dublin City ‡	...	25.3	15.7	1.1	10,903	6,536	1,067	1,928	14	2	43	22	123	82	2	190	120	551	144	473	168	158	3,070	73			
Dun Laoghaire Borough ‡	...	16.7	14.3	0.4	3,933	510	52	230	1	1	1	1	6	2	1	42	14	256	8	51	11	20	170	5			
Cork Co. Borough	21.4	15.8	1.0	1,682	1,243	158	400	1	1	1	1	18	22	1	11	11	13	27	40	27	40	23	23	42	6	
Limerick " ...	...	25.8	15.7	1.2	1,018	618	168	2	1	1	1	5	22	1	1	16	16	18	32	5	49	14	29	264	32	
Waterford "	26.1	18.3	2.2	695	487	91	158	1	1	25	1	7	4	1	10	19	22	8	35	16	16	14	14	84	12	
Galway Urban District	...	18.1	16.2	1.6	357	230	48	77	1	1	7	2	3	1	1	13	13	5	12	5	10	13	5	12	84	12	
Dundalk "	...	18.8	15.9	1.6	263	223	22	89	1	1	2	8	6	3	1	7	5	10	2	23	3	7	6	8	6	4	
Drogheda "	...	24.4	16.9	0.5	309	209	24	34	1	1	1	1	5	1	1	6	15	4	23	8	8	11	11	10	5	9	
Wexford "	...	23.9	17.6	0.7	284	204	34	73	1	1	5	8	1	2	1	5	13	7	14	4	4	13	13	14	32	24	
Sligo "	...	22.2	13.5	1.7	254	154	32	51	1	1	8	1	1	2	1	9	14	4	16	5	6	13	13	14	8	10	
Tralee "	...	20.4	14.6	0.9	215	154	20	40	1	1	5	1	1	4	1	10	13	17	2	17	5	5	15	15	16	5	9
Kilkenny "	...	25.3	14.4	1.2	254	145	17	41	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11	11	2	17	5	5	11	11	10	5	9	
Total Urban Districts under 10,000 Population	19.8	14.2	0.6	4,097	2,948	328	1,100	5	—	24	—	14	26	—	—	54	89	231	74	243	72	72	1,017	168			
I. LEINSTER.																											
An Uaimh	...	24.9	15.9	2.2	91	58	14	13	2	—	4	—	2	—	—	—	1	3	1	2	1	1	1	16	1		
Arklow	...	19.0	15.7	0.7	86	71	3	42	12	—	1	—	1	2	—	—	3	2	4	7	7	2	1	17	5		
Athlone	...	19.6	12.1	0.8	148	106	80	43	6	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	3	4	8	1	1	1	1	42	6		
Athy	...	23.1	12.4	0.6	106	80	43	6	4	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	23	1		
Birr	...	17.6	17.3	0.9	60	59	4	31	6	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	21	4		
Bray	...	22.9	15.5	0.3	198	134	13	45	13	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	2	3	12	5	13	2	45	8			
Carlow	...	18.7	16.6	0.7	134	119	13	39	4	—	1	—	1	5	—	—	7	10	12	5	13	1	1	36	8		
Cavan	...	18.7	17.8	0.9	147	83	12	26	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	26	1		
Enniscorthy	...	26.5	15.0	0.5	19	18	1	1	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	2	2	8	1	1	1	1	4	2		
Granard	...	15.7	14.2	0.5	23	65	5	31	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	19	2		
Hawthorn	...	27.4	11.9	0.5	101	44	4	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	10	5	5	5	1	19	2		

Inquest Cases +

Deaths

Years aged 65

Persons and Upwards

1 year old &

Infants under

1 year old

Persons aged 65

Years and Upwards

Principals Epidemic Diseases

All Causes

BIRTHS

Total Number

BIRTHS

PROVINCES
AND
URBAN DISTRICTS

DEATHS

Deaths

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Bray

Carlow

Cavan

Enniscorthy

Granard

Hawthorn

Longford

Naas	...	19.8	12.8	0.6	68	14	2	10	3	2	1	4	2
New Ross	...	18.2	19.8	1.0	91	10	25	12	2	2	1	46	2
Trina	...	21.9	9.8	0.8	29	13	18	3	3	2	1	47	3
Tullamore	...	24.6	16.0	2.6	121	79	11	18	4	4	1	34	6
Wicklow	...	26.1	15.2	0.3	79	46	15	15	4	4	1	4	6
MUNSTER.													
Carrick-on-Suir	...	26.0	18.5	3.9	121	86	11	28	1	1	1	4	22
Castel	...	46.1	14.9	0.4	86	44	19	18	1	1	1	4	9
Clonakilty	...	29.2	14.4	0.3	81	40	16	15	2	1	1	4	2
Clooney	...	14.6	14.1	0.3	132	128	15	55	1	1	1	4	3
Cobh	...	17.5	13.4	0.4	124	95	10	35	2	1	1	4	3
Dungarvan	...	19.0	17.5	0.4	99	91	2	37	1	1	1	4	3
Dunlavin	...	22.7	15.0	0.2	125	83	5	29	1	1	1	4	3
Duns	...	16.7	14.6	0.2	89	66	18	18	1	1	1	4	3
Fermoy	...	18.6	11.6	0.5	99	62	9	21	1	1	1	4	3
Killarney	...	24.8	21.5	0.3	83	72	10	30	1	1	1	4	3
Kilrush	...	12.4	14.9	0.3	94	41	15	19	1	1	1	4	3
Kinsale	...	24.3	12.3	0.3	71	36	3	16	1	1	1	4	3
Listowel	...	14.1	13.7	0.4	34	33	2	12	1	1	1	4	3
Macroom	...	18.0	15.3	0.2	82	70	7	26	1	1	1	4	3
Mallow	...	14.6	9.9	0.4	40	27	1	9	1	1	1	4	3
Middleton	...	25.0	14.8	0.7	113	67	11	20	1	1	1	4	3
Neagh	...	9.3	12.9	0.3	28	23	9	23	1	1	1	4	3
PASSAGE WEST													
Skillibeen	...	13.7	20.3	0.3	36	53	5	23	1	1	1	4	3
Templemore	...	18.8	11.2	0.3	25	1	42	6	1	1	1	4	3
Thurles	...	21.0	15.2	0.6	107	73	14	33	1	1	1	4	3
Tipperary	...	20.9	15.5	0.2	116	86	10	34	1	1	1	4	3
Youghal	...	18.7	12.5	0.	100	67	30	...	1	1	1	4	3
ULSTER (part of).													
Ballymena	...	24.2	13.3	0.6	118	65	8	19	1	1	1	4	3
Ballynahoe	...	8.8	7.8	0.6	46	41	5	16	1	1	1	4	3
Castlefbar	...	13.8	8.4	0.	59	36	3	14	1	1	1	4	3
Westport	...	14.0	12.9	0.	49	45	4	17	1	1	1	4	3
V. ULSTER (part of).													
Bettystown	...	21.4	11.5	0.	28	15	4	1	1	1	1	2	3
Buncrana	...	25.6	9.5	0.	59	22	2	11	1	1	1	2	3
Bundoran	...	11.2	11.9	0.	15	11	1	12	1	1	1	2	3
Carndonagh	...	14.0	9.0	0.	28	18	1	7	1	1	1	2	3
Castlegregory	...	16.1	14.2	0.	23	22	3	6	1	1	1	2	3
Cavan	...	24.8	17.3	0.3	76	53	8	17	1	1	1	2	3
Clones	...	19.0	12.3	0.	45	29	12	3	1	1	1	2	3
Coolerhill	...	18.9	15.7	0.	20	3	6	1	1	1	1	2	3
Lettarney	...	19.5	10.4	0.	45	24	1	17	1	1	1	2	3
Monaghan	...	14.3	10.6	1.7	67	49	6	19	1	1	1	2	3
BELFAST CITY & LONDONDERRY CITY \$													
Belfast City	...	21.5	14.0	0.9	8,882	5,783	983	1,883	1	1	1	181	131
Londonderry City \$	...	26.1	14.4	1.1	1,177	649	120	191	1	1	1	12	114

* For populations and density per acre, see Table IV, page 84.

[†] Including all deaths registered on Coroner's certificates.

⁺⁺The rates for Saorstat Eireann, the City of Dublin, and the London County Council, 1954-55.

The information for Belfast and Londonderry relates to the 1982 epidemic rate includes influenza.

TABLE 4.—Showing for the Year 1932 (52 weeks), ended 31st December, 1932, the mortality from All Causes and from some of the Principal Causes of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS comprising the CITIES of DUBLIN AND CORK,* also the Deaths at certain age periods and the number of Uncertified Deaths.

NOTE.—See note at heading of Table V, page 86.

DEATHS

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING* REPRESENTED BY DEATHS	INFANT MORTALITY per 1,000 Births	TOTAL DEATHS	AGES AT DEATH				DEATHS FROM Principal Epidemic Diseases						DEATHS FROM Tuberculosis				DEATHS FROM Diseases of Respiratory System				DEATHS FROM Other Causes				DEATHS FROM Influenza				Number of Deaths					
				65 and upwards	55 and under 65	45 and under 55	35 and under 45	Typhoid Fever, Typhus	Malaria	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Influenza	Pneumonia	Cancer	Tuberculosis	Other Forms	Other Diseases	Violence	Other Causes	Measles	Small-pox, Typhus	Bacterial & Viral	Other Diseases	Uncertified Deaths	Deceased	Number of Deaths								
CITY OF DUBLIN—																																			
North City No. 1, East	133	14.8	1.3	526	117	25	21	20	51	132	130	5	1	7	3	32	6	65	80	16	236	12	247	6											
" No. 1, West	128	18.6	1.0	805	163	51	51	48	102	182	180	2(a)	9	2	14	37	14	44	95	10	353	17	388	12											
" No. 2	128	15.4	1.3	413	91	21	18	56	111	187	181(b)	8	2	11	36	12	22	55	61	9	353	17	388	12											
" No. 3	110	14.2	1.1	476	79	21	20	62	109	142	2(a)	1	5	16	5	10	7	40	13	35	54	11	222	9	205	12									
Blackrockstown and Castleknock,	83	5.3	0.5	101	12	2	1	1	23	23	23	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	2	6	12	9	1	6	1	3	2								
Clontarf and Howth No. 1, part of	64	11.0	0.5	101	12	2	3	3	15	23	23	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	2	5	12	9	4	54	3	27	2								
" Clontarf and Howth No. 2, part of	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, Nos. 1 and 2, part of	64	17.1	1.1	349	50	12	13	17	22	50	90	.	.	2	4	7	9	11	35	6	29	32	25	11	178	5	153	5							
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	55	14.2	1.2	172	20	4	7	6	10	17	43	65	.	22	1	4	3	6	11	3	16	15	15	15	90	2	60	1							
South City No. 1	119	14.9	1.4	551	105	31	24	17	36	139	134	13(a)	8	3	14	6	18	8	55	18	34	35	80	10	241	10	272	5							
" No. 2	110	18.8	1.4	270	46	10	6	11	6	34	79	78	1(b)	1	.	8	5	15	14	19	11	53	15	126	5	111	6								
" No. 3	105	15.8	0.9	536	80	23	20	27	34	108	205	176	3(c)	3	14	10	19	9	43	7	64	69	22	359	23	383	11								
Clondalkin, part of	200	5.0	0.8	91	3	1	1	1	26	66	143	151	2(a)	2	1	9	5	12	5	45	13	43	54	74	16	255	14	284	4						
Crumlin, part, part of	78	14.9	0.7	424	51	1	1	1	1	9	23	40	4(d)	1	.	1	1	7	7	8	1	8	6	9	1	48	2	16	1						
Dundrum, Nos. 1 and 2	80	12.1	0.7	265	45	17	8	15	19	62	62	61(a)	1	1	1	1	3	6	4	11	9	27	17	16	16	220	16	152	2						
New Kilmacud, Nos. 1 and 2	82	17.5	1.5	89	17	17	17	16	35	61	156	297	.	2	.	6	6	6	6	5	57	10	29	22	31	10	137	11	109	1					
Rathfarnham, Nos. 1 and 2	24	8.9	0.6	610	59	10	6	16	35	61	156	297	.	2	.	6	6	6	6	5	57	10	57	29	65	10	382	12	253	6					
TOTAL, CITY OF DUBLIN ...	103	15.4	1.1	6398	1057	255	236	237	327	787	1622	1877	18	43	22	122	81	189	116	529	143	640	774	164	3097	153	2962	71							
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above).																																			
CITY OF CORK.																																			
Cork Urban	No. 1	14.2	0.5	182	13	1	2	5	24	44	92	.	.	.	2	1	1	4	3	8	7	5	18	5	18	4	123	7	57	5			
" No. 2	13.7	1.5	154	27	5	3	7	25	43	39	.	.	.	1	1	1	4	5	5	21	6	7	8	10	2	83	3	70	4			
" No. 3	14.5	1.7	159	31	5	13	5	28	40	37	.	.	.	1	1	1	3	5	5	21	6	7	8	17	8	8	18	4	79	4		
" No. 4	16.5	2.0	143	17	5	6	8	23	30	34	1(a)	1	1	3	5	2	1	13	2	8	8	18	4	79	4			
" No. 5	14.4	1.1	98	11	4	2	3	13	29	34	1(a)	1	1	3	6	1	1	13	2	8	8	18	4	79	4			
" No. 6	17.5	1.1	190	23	5	3	3	32	65	54	.	.	.	1	1	1	4	3	6	1	6	1	6	1	50	1	45	1				
" No. 7	16.4	0.5	283	33	5	11	19	75	90	.	.	.	1	1	1	7	4	28	3	21	22	13	11	17	12	11	110	5	89	4		
TOTAL CITY OF CORK ...	4	15.4	1.0	1209	155	37	34	38	53	185	321	386	1	1	1	18	17	41	10	111	25	88	72	92	26	706	38	543	28						

* For populations of Districts, see Table V, page 86.

(a) Typhoid fever.

(b) Typhus fever.

(c) Two Typhoid fever and one Dysentery.

(d) Dysentery.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

TABLE 5.—Summary of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified to the Department of Local Government and Public Health, in respect of Saorstát Éireann, for the Year 1932.

The letters in the last column denote the following diseases :—A. Acute ant. poliomyleitis. B. Cerebro-spinal meningitis. C. Continued fever. D. Encephalitis lethargica. E. Erysipelas. F. Ill-defined fever. G. Membranous Croup. H. Meningitis. J. Ophthalmia Neonatorum. K. Pneumonia, influenzal. L. Pneumonia (other forms). M. Puerperal sepsis.

District	Ty-phus	Ty- phoid Fever	Diph- theria	Scarlet Fever	Other Diseases (See note at head of table).
Cork County Borough	1	90	84	1A, 1D, 13E, 38K and 1, 9M.	
Dublin County Borough	2	96*	862	1,082	8B, 1C, 1D, 105E, 1J, 253K and 12M.
Limerick County Borough		6	342	293	13E, 4K, 13L, 5M.
Waterford County Borough		2	34	277	5E, 4M.

* Including one case of paratyphoid fever.

County	Urban	Rural	Ty- phus	Ty- phoid Fever	Diph- theria	Scarlet Fever	Other Diseases (See note at head of table).
Carlow ...	Carlow ...				28	22	2K, 1L, 2M.
		Baltinglass No. 2				1	
		Carlow ...			19	23	1E, 5K, 5L.
Cavan ...	Belturbet ...				14	5	
	Cavan ...				2	1	3L, 1M.
	Cootehill ...				13	3	1K.
		Balleborough ...	3			4	1E, 2L, 2M.
		Bawnboy ...	1			2	8L.
		Castlerahan ...	1				
		Cavan ...	10	23		21	
		Enniskillen No. 2 ...	2				
Clare ...	Ennis ...	Ballyvaughan			8	1	1B
		Corofin ...			4	1	
		Ennis ...			1		
		Ennistymon ...			2	4	
		Killadysart ...			10	2	
		Kilrush ...	1				
		Limerick No. 2 ...			3	5	
		Scarriff ...			24	2	
		Tulla ...			1		

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—*contd.*

County	Urban	Rural	Ty-phus	Ty- phoid Fever	Diph- theria	Scarlet Fever	Other Diseases (See note at head of table).
Cork	Clonakilty	...			1	1	1L.
	Cobh	...			1	1	
	Fermoy	...			1	2	1E, 3L.
	Macroom	...			1	1	
	Mallow	...			8	10	1E.
	Midleton	...			3		
	Passage West				1	4	2E.
	Skibbereen					1	
	Youghal	...				14	2E.
	Bandon	...	1	1	43	34	1L, 5M.
	Bantry	...		2	5	8	2K, 2L, 1M.
	Castletown	...		11	8		8K, 3L.
	Charleville	...				15	1H, 16L.
	Clonakilty	...				7	2M.
	Cork	...		3	45	50	1A, 8E, 3K, 3L, 2M.
	Dunmanway	...			3	15	1E, 2M.
	Fermoy	...			9	17	1A, 1D, 6L.
	Kanturk	...		23	9	37	1E, 1L, 2M.
	Kinsale	...		1	4	6	2D, 1E.
	Macroom	...			5	20	1L.
	Mallow	...			43	44	
	Midleton	...		1	1	2	
	Millstreet	...		2	16	71	1K.
	Mitchelstown No. 1	...			2	5	2A, 2L, 1M.
	Skibbereen	...			3	13	2E.
	Skull	...	1				6K, 1L.
	Youghal No. 1					3	
Donegal	Buncrana	...			2	2	1M.
	Letterkenny					2	
	Ballyshannon					3	
	Donegal	...		2	3	20	1M.
	Dunfanaghy	...		5			1L.
	Glenties	...		4	9	13	2L.
	Inishowen	...		4	14	26	4E, 9L.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—*contd.*

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Typhoid Fever	Diphtheria	Scarlet Fever	Other Diseases (See note at head of table).
Dublin	Dun Laoghaire Howth	Letterkenny ...		4		3	1L.
		Milford ...				5	1L, 1M.
		Stranorlar ...		3	3	18	1D, 1M.
				1	24	57	2D, 5E, 1M.
					3	4	1E.
		Balrothery ...		1	9	21	1B, 5K, 1L.
		Celbridge No. 2			16	7	
		Dublin North		1	16	33	1K, 3L.
		Dublin South		2	27	23	1E, 1L, 1M.
		Rathdown No. 1		2	17	59	1B, 1D, 4E, 2M.
Galway	Ballinasloe ... Galway ...			2		19	1E, 2L.
				1	70	40	1E, 1K.
		Ballinasloe No. 1			13	4	1B, 1E, 1H, 1L, 1M.
		Clifden ...		6	1		1L.
		Galway ...		1	42	29	1B, 3E.
		Glenamaddy ...		1	3	1	1E, 1K.
		Gort ...			2	3	
		Loughrea ...		1	13	33	1E, 1H, 1K, 1M.
		Mountbellew ...		3	4	24	2L.
		Oughterard ...		6	2	3	1L, 1M.
		Portumna ...			2	8	1E.
		Tuam ...			42	14	1E, 1K, 9L, 1M.
Kerry	Killarney ... Listowel ... Tralee ...			1	9	9	2
						1	5
					3	1	2K, 3L.
		Caherciveen ...			8	27	2
		Dingle ...		1	1	19	2K.
		Kenmare ...				2	
		Killarney ...		23	8	4	1K.
		Listowel ...			6	68	29
		Tralee ...			18	5	1D, 23K, 2M.
						5	2K, 1M.
Kildare	Athy ... Naas ...					6	
						13	15
		Athy No. 1 ...		1	13	6	13K, 6L, 1M.
		Celbridge No. 1				3	2
		Naas No. 1 ...		1	28	90	1D, 1K, 3M.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—*contd.*

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Typhoid Fever	Diphtheria	Scarlet Fever	Other Diseases (See note at head of table).
Kilkenny ...	Kilkenny ...				4	41	
		Callan ...			11	2	
		Carrick-on-Suir No. 3 ...	8	1			
		Castlecomer ...	4	9		11	
		Ida ...		1		6	
		Kilkenny ...		5		23	
		Thomastown ...	3	12		10	
		Urilingford No. 1		1			
		Waterford No. 2				8	
Laois ...		Abbeyleix ...			27	6	
		Athy No. 2 ...	1			3	
		Mountmellick ...	1	8		30	
		Slievemargy ...				24	
Leitrim ...		Carrick-on-Shannon No. 1	2				1D.
		Manorhamilton	24		13		
		Mohill ...	1				
Limerick ...		Croom ...	1	7	41	1E, 3K, 5L, 4M.	
		Kilmallock ...		10	15	1D, 2E, 1K, 7L, 2M.	
		Limerick No. 1 ...	2	26	35	4E, 4K, 10L, 4M.	
		Mitchelstown No. 2 ...		1		4K, 14L.	
		Newcastle ...		16	72	2E, 7K, 5L.	
		Rathkeale ...	3	28	72	2E, 3K, 9L.	
		Tipperary No. 2 ...		9	3	1E, 1K, 3L.	
Longford ...	Longford ...	Ballymahon ...		1	6	1E.	
		Granard No. 1 ...	5		3		
		Longford ...	2	5	2		
				15	11	1M.	
Louth ...	Drogheda ...	Ardee No. 1 ...	2	9	12	1M.	
	Dundalk ...	Dundalk ...	1	22	38	3C.	
		Louth ...	1	25	38	2E, 2K, 3M.	
Mayo ...	Ballina ...			4	2		
	Castlebar ...						
		Ballina ...		3	1	1L.	
		Ballinrobe ...	2	12	17	1L, 1M.	
		Beimullet ...		5		1M.	
		Castlebar ...			12		
		Claremorris ...	3	2		1L.	
		Swinford ...	9	7	2	1E, 2L, 2M.	
		Westport ...	3	12	31	1E, 6L.	
					2	1K, 15L.	
Meath ...	An Uaimh ...			19	1	1	
	Ceannarus Mór			1	1		1E.
	Trim ...						
		An Uaimh ...	7	8	10		
	Ceannarus Mór		1	2	2	1E.	
	Dunshaughlin				12	23	
	Meath ...				1		
	Oldcastle ...		1		12		
	Trim ...				11	11	
Monaghan ...	Carrickmacross			1		2	
	Castleblayney			2		1	
	Clones ...			1		24	1M.
	Monaghan ...			5	22	9	1E, 2M.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—*contd.*

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Typhoid Fever	Diphtheria	Scarlet Fever	Other Diseases (See note at head of table).
Monaghan—con		Carrickmacross Castleblayney... Clones No. 1 Monaghan ...		2 14	1 14 5 19	10 11 15 24	3K, 6L, 1M. 2M. 3M. 1E, 1K, 1L, 1M.
Offaly ...	Birr Tullamore ...	Birr No. 1 ... Edenderry No. 1 Roscrea No. 2 Tullamore ...		2 1	7 21 7 12	1M. 2K.	
Roscommon		Athlone No. 2 Boyle No. 1 ... Carrick-on-Shannon No. 2 Castlerea ... Roscommon ...	2 3	7 5	2 1	1M. 1E, 1L, 1M.	
Sligo ...	Sligo ...	Boyle No. 2 ... Dromore West Sligo ...		4 1	4 5	4 7	1E.
Tipperary N.R.	Nenagh Thurles ...	Borrisokane ... Nenagh ... Thurles ...	2		1 10 1	1 5 2 6	
Tipperary S.R.	Carrick-on-Suir Clonmel ... Tipperary ...	Carrick-on-Suir No. 1 ... Cashel ... Clogheen ... Clonmel No. 1 Slielveardagh ... Tipperary No. 1		1 19	2 1 4 1 2	7 2 1 2	
Waterford ...		Carrick-on-Suir No. 2 ... Clonmel No. 2 ... Dungarvan ... Kilmacthomas ... Lismore ... Waterford No. 1 Youghal No. 2	2	6 1 6 3*	22 2 9 5 1		
Westmeath ...	Athlone ...	Athlone No. 1 Ballymore ... Coole ... Delvin ... Mullingar ...		1	6 3 3 10	4 2 18 24	3K, 1M. 2L. 4K. 1L. 1E, 1L, 1M.

* Paratyphoid fever.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES—*contd.*

County	Urban	Rural	Typhus	Typhoid Fever	Diphtheria	Scarlet Fever	Other Diseases (See note at head of table)		
Wexford	Enniscorthy			1	2	1			
	New Ross				8	4	1 E, 3 K.		
	Wexford			4	3	1			
	Enniscorthy			1		19	1 K, 1 M.		
	Gorey			2			2 A, 3 K, 2 M.		
	New Ross				4		2 K.		
Wicklow	Wexford				11	2	1 D, 1 E, 6 K, 5 L.		
	Bray				20	35	3 E, 8 K.		
	Wicklow				1				
	Baltinglass No. 1			3	7	21	1 D, 1 L.		
	Rathdown No. 2					1			
	Rathdrum			1	12	30			
	Shillelagh					2			
Totals:—County Boroughs			2	105	1,328	1,736	1 A, 8 B, 1 C, 2 D, 136 E, 1 J, 308 K & L, 30 M.		
Urban Districts			1	53	350	427	1 B, 3 C, 2 D, 24 E, 19 K, 16 L, 11 M.		
Rural Districts			27	286	1,260	1,764	6 A, 4 B, 11 D, 55 E, 3 H, 156 K, 190 L, 73 M.		
TOTAL FOR ALL DISTRICTS			30	444	2,938	3,927	7 A, 13 B, 4 C, 15 D, 215 E, 3 H, 1 J, 689 K & L, 114 M.		

TABLE 6.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated during the YEAR 1932
(52 weeks), in the principal Dublin Hospitals.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous year	No. Admitted during year	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of period
Enteric Fever	5	98	60	11	32
Typhus	2	2	+	2	4
Small-pox	•	•	•	•	•
Measles	6	182	138	15	35
Scarlet Fever	167	1,160	1,189	25	113*
Diphtheria	60	883	753	88	102
Pneumonia	28	347	285	64	26

* Exclusive of 21 patients in Beneavin the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

OIFIG AN ARD-CHLÁRADÓRA,
TIGH AN CHUSTUIM,
Baile Átha Cliath, 10adh lá de mhí Mártá, 1932.E. P. McCARRON,
Ard Chláradóra.

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